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MON.	AUG. 16	CHICAGO	7:00 P.M.
SAT.	AUG. 21	DALLAS	6:00 P.M.
SAT.	AUG. 28	SAN FRANCISCO	6:00 P.M.
Sat.	Sept. 4	Los Angeles at Anaheim	7:00 P.M.

Regular Season

Sun.	Sept. 12	at Denver	Noon
Sun.	Sept. 19	at Kansas City	Noon
SUN.	SEPT. 26	OAKLAND	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Oct. 3	at Atlanta	10:00 A.M.
SUN.	OCT. 10	SEATTLE	1:00 P.M.
SUN.	OCT. 17	KANSAS CITY	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Oct. 24	at Seattle	1:00 P.M.
SUN.	OCT. 31	LOS ANGELES	1:00 P.M.
Mon.	Nov. 8	at Miami	6:00 P.M.
SUN.	NOV. 14	NEW ORLEANS	1:00 P.M.
Mon.	Nov. 22	at Oakland	6:00 P.M.
SUN.	NOV. 28	DENVER	1:00 P.M.
Sun.	Dec. 5	at Cleveland	10:00 A.M.
Sat.	Dec. 11	at San Francisco	1:00 P.M.
MON.	DEC. 20	CINCINNATI	6:00 P.M.
SUN.	DEC. 26	BALTIMORE	1:00 P.M.

*San Diego time.

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GENE KLEIN

President

Gene Klein is never one to look back and never one to lose sight of the ultimate goal – a consistent winning team.

Klein's San Diego Chargers won their third straight AFC West championship in 1981 and reached the American Conference championship game for the second year in a row. The Chargers were the only 1981 NFL team to achieve that feat, but they aren't standing pat. Klein, who orchestrated the trades that brought starters Willie Buchanon, Ed White, John Cappelletti, Chuck Muncie, Kellen Winslow, John Woodcock, and Wes Chandler to the Chargers, spent a busy off-season after the 1981 campaign. In an attempt to bring the Chargers' defense to the level of the offense, which set 10 National Football League records in 1981, the Chargers traded for safeties Tim Fox of New England and Bruce Laird of Baltimore and linebackers Jeff Siemon of Minnesota and David Lewis and Dewey Selmon of Tampa Bay. Another trade brought fullback Ricky Bell from Tampa Bay.

It has been moves such as these that have enabled the Chargers to become one of pro football's top teams. Their rise can be traced to a decision Klein made in December, 1973, when Klein phased himself out of most of his business interests other than football. The Los Angeles-based Klein had been principal owner of the Chargers for seven years but had charged others with the responsibility of running the franchise.

Klein's first move after the team finished with a 2-11-1 record in 1973 was to appoint Tommy Prothro head coach. Klein named John Sanders general manager and Tank Younger assistant general manager a year later. Prothro, Sanders, and Younger all were well-versed in the important areas of player personnel and front-office administration. With this nucleus, Klein was able to construct a strong management staff and supervise the development of a team that became one of the most exciting and successful in football.

When Prothro resigned after the fourth game of the 1978 season, Klein selected Don Coryell as head coach. Coryell provided the final ingredient to success. The former San Diego State coach guided the Chargers to seven wins in their final eight games in 1978 and to division championships in 1979, '80 and '81.

The Chargers and Miami Dolphins offered the highlight of the 1981 NFL season when they engaged in an epic divisional playoff in the Miami Orange Bowl. San Diego finally prevailed 41-38 after 13:52 of overtime in perhaps the most exciting game of all time. The Chargers will be on national television at least six times in 1982, including twice in the preseason and three times on Monday night during the regular season.

Klein headed a group that purchased the Chargers for \$10 million from Barron Hilton Aug. 25, 1966. The acquisition was small in financial comparison to some of the trans-

actions Klein has made in other areas of American business . . . but Klein had realized a lifelong ambition of owning a professional football team.

Eugene Victor Klein was born in New York City Jan. 29, 1921. He attended New York University and majored in electrical engineering until Dec. 8, 1941, the day after United States military installations were bombed in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. The 6-foot, 5-inch Klein enlisted in the Air Force and attained the rank of captain, serving as a bomber pilot in World War II. Klein went into the automobile business in Los Angeles's San Fernando Valley after the war and eventually became Western States distributor of the Volvo automobile.

In 1961 Klein assumed leadership of a company that had \$80 million in assets. That company, renamed National General Corporation, became one of the largest corporations in the country under Klein's guidance. Among its holdings were Bantam Books, largest paperback publishing company in the world; Great American Insurance Company, and Grosset and Dunlap publishers. National General also was involved in motion picture production, distribution, and theaters. NGC had assets of \$1.2 billion when Klein negotiated the sale of the company 12 years later.

Klein remains active in civic and charitable projects. He is on the board of directors, Cedars Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles. He is vice chairman, board of trustees, City of Hope. He is a member of the Los Angeles District Attorney Advisory Council, the Mental Health Association, Variety Club, Big Brothers Boosters, American Cancer Society, and National Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Klein is a life member of the San Diego Hall of Champions and a member of the Board of Trustees of the San Diego Museum of Art.

Gene and his lovely wife Joyce maintain residences in Rancho Santa Fe and Palm Springs. Gene has a son, Michael Klein, and a daughter, Randee Klein, both of whom are members of Chargers ownership.

Other members of Chargers ownership are former majority owner Hilton, Jack Foreman, Bill Fox, George Pernicano, John Quirk, Frank Rothman and Alexander Spanos.



DON CORYELL

Head Coach

Don Coryell enters the 1982 season with a record of being the only coach in the National Football League to have won successive division championships in the last three years. Coryell's San Diego Chargers won divisional titles from 1979-81 and have gone to pro football's final four, the conference championship game, the last two seasons.

Success is common with Coryell. He also enters the 1982 campaign with the fourth-best winning percentage among the 28 NFL head coaches. Coryell teams have posted an overall record of 83 wins, 46 losses, and 1 tie for a .642 percentage since 1973. Only Miami's Don Shula (.718), Buffalo's Chuck Knox (.653), and Minnesota's Bud Grant (.644) have higher percentages in the regular season. Coryell also was AFC coach of the year in 1979.

Coryell was appointed head coach of the Chargers by President Gene Klein Sept. 25, 1978. The Chargers lost three of their first four games under Coryell but won seven of the last eight and their overall record of 40-16 since the middle of the 1978 season is second only to Dallas' 41-15.

Donald David Coryell was born in Seattle Oct. 17, 1924. He played at Seattle's Lincoln High and joined the U.S. Army as a private in the ski troops upon high school graduation in 1943. Coryell was a first lieutenant in the paratroopers when he was discharged three-and-a-half years later and entered the University of Washington. Don played defensive back for the Huskies and was graduated with a bachelor of arts degree in 1950. He took a master's degree one year later and accepted his first coaching assignment as an assistant at Punahou Academy in Honolulu. Coryell was head coach at Honolulu Farrington in 1952, then coached two seasons at the University of British Columbia in Vancouver.

Coryell moved to the junior college ranks in Washington in 1955, taking over a Wenatchee team that had been winless the year before. Wenatchee was undefeated under Coryell, who became the athletic director and head coach at the Army base at Ford Ord, California, the following year. Ford Ord emerged as the only unbeaten service team in the country in 1956.

Coryell became head coach at Whittier College in 1957 and led the Poets to a 23-5-1 record, three Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championships and number-one ranking among U.S. small colleges in total offense and passing in 1959. Coryell then served one year as offensive backfield coach at the University of Southern California before taking over a downtrodden San Diego State program.

Don was named the San Diego Aztecs' head coach Jan. 14, 1961. Coryell immediately embarked on a strong recruiting program and whipped the Aztecs to a 7-2-1 comeback in his first season.

Over the next 11 seasons under Coryell, San Diego State became recognized for great offensive teams and the

development of outstanding pro prospects. Among other achievements:

—San Diego State had unbeaten seasons of 11-0 in 1966, 9-0-1 in 1968, and 11-0 in 1969. The Aztecs won 25 games in a row from 1965-67, then went 31 games without defeat.

—Coryell was named College Division district coach of the year in 1963, '66, '67, and '68.

After a 10-1 season in 1972, Coryell was hired by the St. Louis Cardinals of the NFL.

His San Diego State record was 104-19-2.

The Cardinals were 4-9-1 in 1973, Coryell's first season, then put together records of 10-4, 11-3, and 10-4, winning NFC East championships in 1974 and 1975. Coryell was NFL and NFC coach of the year in 1974.

Don and his lovely wife, Aliisa, live in El Cajon and have a son, Mike (July 16, 1957), a graduate in physics from the University of California at San Diego, and a daughter, Mindy, who is the wife of Michael Lewis of El Cajon.

NFL Head Coaching Record

Year	Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
1973	St. Louis	4	9	1	.321	286	365
1974	*St. Louis	10	4	0	.714	285	218
1975	*St. Louis	11	3	0	.786	356	276
1976	St. Louis	10	4	0	.714	309	267
1977	St. Louis	7	7	0	.500	272	287
1978	San Diego	8	4	0	.667	294	217
1979	*San Diego	12	4	0	.750	411	246
1980	*San Diego	11	5	0	.688	418	327
1981	*San Diego	10	6	0	.625	478	390
	Totals	83	46	1	.642	3109	2593

*Won Division Championship

Playoffs

Year	Team	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
1974	St. Louis	0	1	0	.000	14	30
1975	St. Louis	0	1	0	.000	23	35
1979	San Diego	0	1	0	.000	14	17
1980	San Diego	1	1	0	.500	47	48
1981	San Diego	1	1	0	.500	48	65
	Totals	2	5	0	.286	146	195

Collegiate Head Coaching Record

Year	School	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
1957	Whittier	6	2	1	.722	234	110
1958	Whittier	9	1	0	.900	335	94
1959	Whittier	8	2	0	.800	313	122
1961	San Diego State	7	2	1	.750	231	154
1962	San Diego State	8	2	0	.800	294	135
1963	San Diego State	7	2	0	.778	317	130
1964	San Diego State	8	2	0	.800	423	71
1965	San Diego State	8	2	0	.800	353	87
1966	San Diego State	11	0	0	1.000	317	105
1967	San Diego State	10	1	0	.909	319	135
1968	San Diego State	9	0	1	.950	377	155
1969	San Diego State	11	0	0	1.000	492	194
1970	San Diego State	9	2	0	.818	364	123
1971	San Diego State	6	5	0	.545	245	230
1972	San Diego State	10	1	0	.909	266	143
	Totals	127	24	3	.834	4640	1968



JOHN SANDERS

General Manager

Few persons in football match the pro football knowledge, experience, and expertise of John Sanders, general manager of the Chargers since Feb. 16, 1976. Sanders was named National Football League executive of the year for 1979 by other NFL executives in a poll conducted by The Sporting News and the Chargers have enjoyed the most successful period in their history since Sanders was charged with the day-to-day operation of the franchise under President Gene Klein.

Sanders joined the Chargers as assistant to the president for player personnel Feb. 6, 1975, after a long association with the Los Angeles Rams, with whom Sanders worked in the areas of personnel and contracts as a scout and front-office executive.

Sanders has been involved with football almost from the time his family moved from San Antonio, Texas, where he was born July 26, 1922, to Van Nuys, California, in Los Angeles' San Fernando Valley. Sanders played football for the Van Nuys High Wolves and was a running back and three-year letterman (1946-48) at Occidental College in Eagle Rock, California.

Johnny was a starter on the 1948 Occidental team that had a 9-0 record, defeated Colorado A&M in the Raisin Bowl in Fresno, California, Jan. 1, 1949, and was the school's first unbeaten squad in 33 years. Sanders is a member of Occidental's Athletic Hall of Fame and Van Nuys Hall of Fame.

Johnny began teaching and coaching in the Los Angeles City Schools system after his graduation from college. He joined the Rams as a parttime scout in 1952 after having been associated with the team during training camps since 1946.

Sanders was head coach at North Hollywood High from 1951-58, posting a 50-16-1 won-lost record, advancing to the Los Angeles City championship game in 1955, and gaining the playoffs six times. Johnny moved to the new Grant High in 1959 and coached there until accepting an invitation from Rams owner Dan Reeves to join the organization fulltime in 1964 as director of player personnel.

Sanders served in that position until his appointment as assistant general manager March 3, 1969.

Johnny and his wife, Peggy, live in San Diego. They have a daughter, Pamela, and a son, Rob, who reside in Los Angeles.



PAUL (Tank) YOUNGER

Assistant General Manager

Tank Younger is in his thirty-fourth season in the National Football League.

Younger's career spans player, scout and administrator, beginning in 1949 as a fullback in the Los Angeles Rams' "Bull Elephant" backfield.

Younger played during what has been described as pro football's Golden Era and he contributed a historic footnote to that period as the first outstanding NFL player from a predominantly black Southern school. Younger was graduated in 1949 from Louisiana's Grambling College, where his size (6-3, 235) and power inspired the nickname Tank.

Younger was named assistant general manager of the Chargers June 17, 1975. He played for the Rams from 1949-57, and served them as a parttime scout from 1958-64 and as a fulltime scout from 1964-75. Younger also played for the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1958. His career totals included 3,640 yards rushing, a 4.7 average, and 35 touchdowns.

Paul Lawrence Younger was born June 25, 1928, in Grambling, Louisiana. He spent most of his early years in Los Angeles. Tank and his wife Lucille, a Los Angeles pediatrician, have a son, Howard (Aug. 31, 1956) and two daughters, Harriette (Dec. 21, 1957) and Lucy (March 6, 1961). Howard is a graduate of the University of Southern California with a degree in business. Harriette is attending medical school at Morehouse University, Atlanta, and Lucy is a graduate student in sociology at UCLA.



JACK TEELE

Assistant to the President

Teele joined the Chargers April 15, 1981, after a long and distinguished career with the Los Angeles Rams. Jack is one of the most experienced persons in pro football in the areas of public relations, ticket office opera-

tions, training camp, game management, and administration. He was the most prominent Rams official in the club's move from the Los Angeles Coliseum to Anaheim, working with stadium officials, architects for stadium expansion, contractors, and city management.

Teele's association with pro football began in 1957, when he was assigned to cover the Rams for the Long Beach Independent-Press Telegram newspaper. He joined the Rams as director of public relations in 1960. Teele was appointed Assistant to the President in 1969 and from 1978 served as Vice President, Administration.

Jack Earl Teele was born June 17, 1930, in Bloomington, Illinois. Teele played basketball for Long Beach Poly High and for the first varsity basketball team at Long Beach State, 1951-52. He was named Long Beach State's Out-

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standing Alumnus in 1971 and to the Long Beach City College Hall of Fame in 1975. Jack served two years with the Army's Counter Intelligence Corps in Japan, 1952-54. He resides in San Diego with his wife (Marilyn). The Teeles have two daughters, Dana, who is Mrs. Robert Thurston, and Lisa, who is Mrs. Richard Owen.



JOHN TRUMP

Administrative Assistant

Trump joined the Chargers July 17, 1978, as administrative assistant for player personnel.

Trump is in charge of the player personnel department and coordinates scouting assignments and the

NFL draft.

Trump's appointment in San Diego reunited John with Johnny Sanders, the Chargers' general manager who had started with Trump in the Los Angeles Rams' scouting department and who had played in the same backfield with Trump at Occidental College, Eagle Rock, California.

Trump was Little all-Coast and Little-all America as a running back and safety on the 1948 Occidental team. Trump also is a member of the Occidental Hall of Fame.

John became a high-school football and baseball coach in the Los Angeles City Schools in 1950. Three years later he began a 25-year association with the Rams.

He was born John Mountford Trump June 26, 1925, in Glendale, California. Trump played football for the Burbank High Bulldogs and was student body president. John and his wife Jean have two sons, Frank (11/26/52), a scout for the Rams, and Richard (12/25/54).



AUBREY (Red) PHILLIPS

Chief Scout

Red Phillips travels more than 100,000 miles a year researching college players for the San Diego Chargers' draft. Phillips joined the Chargers as a scout in 1967, and is on the road almost continually in the

spring and fall, charting prospects, filing information, and updating records.

Red played collegiately as a center and linebacker at Texas Tech and professionally with Saskatchewan of the Canadian Football League. He coached at Texas Tech, Southwestern Louisiana, and Northwestern Louisiana.

Aubrey Clyde Phillips was born Nov. 14, 1929, in Abbott, Texas. He played football for the Paschal High Panthers in Fort Worth, Texas. Red and his wife Kay reside in Poway. They have three sons, Rusty (May 12, 1953), Mike (Oct. 20, 1955), and Tony (Jan. 11, 1966), and two daughters, Phyllis (May 17, 1964) and Amy (Feb. 2, 1970).



TOM BASS

Defensive Coordinator

Bass rejoined the Chargers March 1, 1982, and was reunited with head coach Don Coryell. He coached for the Chargers from 1964-67 and served under Coryell at San Diego State from 1961-63. Tom came to the

Chargers from the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, for whom he served as director of pro personnel when the franchise was formed in 1975, as an assistant offensive coach in 1976 and, since 1977, as defensive coordinator.

The Tampa Bay defensive squad was top-ranked in the NFL in 1979 and among league leaders in 1981, topping the NFL with 11 touchdown passes allowed and having no touchdown pass play longer than the 27-yard connection between the Chargers' Dan Fouts and Eric Sievers Dec. 13.

Bass's other professional coaching experience was with the Cincinnati Bengals in 1968-69. He was out of football in 1970 and a Bengals scout from 1971-75. During that time Bass published two books of poetry, "Pro Football From The Inside," and "Fly Free My Love," while also serving as a contributing editor to five Super Bowl game programs produced by National Football League Properties, Inc.

Thomas Lee Bass was born Aug. 2, 1935, at March Field Air Force Base, Riverside, California. He played high school football in Southern California for the San Bernardino Cardinals. Bass was a linebacker at San Jose State until he was stricken with polio in 1955, about one week before the distribution of the Salk Vaccine. Bass missed a year of school recovering from the disease and was forced to abandon his playing career. He became a student assistant coach at San Jose State while earning a degree in physical education and biological science and being graduated with academic distinction. Tom was a graduate student at San Diego State when he joined Don Coryell's first staff at the school in 1961.

Bass is a member of the board of directors of the Florida Gulf Coast Symphony. He also instituted a special instructional clinic on football for women in Tampa. He plans to establish the same program in San Diego.

Bass and his wife, Michelle, reside in Solana Beach. They have three sons, Michael (June 1, 1960), a placekicker for the University of Illinois football team; Bobby (Nov. 13, 1964), and David (Oct. 19, 1966), and a daughter, Shana (May 7, 1971).

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MARV BRADEN

Special Assistant

The Chargers' overall NFL special teams ranking improved from twenty-third in 1980 to first in 1981, Braden's first year in charge of the unit. Braden's squad ranked second in kickoff coverage and third in punt coverage; conversely only Los Angeles compiled more punt return yardage than the Chargers.

Braden joined the Chargers February 17, 1981 after serving as special teams coach for Denver, 1977-80. In addition to handling the special teams, Braden assists in the structure of the offensive game plan.

The Chargers appointment meant a return to San Diego for Braden. He served as head coach at United States International University, 1969-73, during which time his teams posted a 26-12-1 record. Braden's first head coaching post was at Northeast Missouri, 1967-68. Marv was defensive coordinator at Iowa State in 1973, and served as offensive coordinator at Southern Methodist, 1974-75, and at Michigan State, 1976.

Marvin Preston Braden was born January 25, 1938, in Kansas City, Missouri, where he played high school football for the Westport Tigers. Braden also played linebacker at Southwest Missouri, 1956-59.

Marv and his wife Becky have a daughter, Janice (Oct. 14, 1960). The Bradens live in Poway.



EARNEL DURDEN

Offensive Backfield

Durden is in his ninth season as the Chargers' offensive backfield coach, giving him more seniority than any other coach. The 1981 season was especially productive for Durden's group. The Chargers averaged 4.2 yards per rushing attempt, with Chuck Muncie and James Brooks gaining almost 1,700 yards. Chargers running backs also caught 112 passes.

Durden came to the Chargers from Houston, where he coached in 1973 after serving two years with the Los Angeles Rams, 1971-72. He coached on the collegiate level at Compton Junior College, Long Beach State, and UCLA.

Earnel was an all-American wingback on Oregon State's Rose Bowl team in 1957. He was Los Angeles City football player of the year in 1954 for the Manual Arts High Toilers.

He was born Earnel Durden Jan. 24, 1937, in Los Angeles. Earnel and his wife, June, live in La Mesa and have three sons, Mike (May 4, 1959), a starting cornerback at UCLA; Kevin (Aug. 16, 1962), a safety at San Diego City College, and Allan (Nov. 26, 1963), a freshman wide receiver at Arizona.



DAVE LEVY

Offensive Line

Chargers quarterback Dan Fouts was sacked just 19 times in 1981, a tribute to the blockers on Dave Levy's offensive line. The ratio of one sack for every 33 pass attempts led the NFL.

Levy is coaching the unit for the third year, having joined coach Don Coryell's staff in 1980.

Levy coached for sixteen years at the University of Southern California (1960-75). During this period USC appeared in the Rose Bowl eight times. The 1960 USC staff was the first put together by Trojans head coach John McKay and united Levy with fellow assistant Don Coryell, who chose Levy to replace Jim Hanifan on the Chargers staff in 1980. Levy also served as Assistant Athletic Director at USC from 1976-79.

David Allan Levy was born Oct. 25, 1932, in Carrollton, Missouri. Levy grew up in Long Beach, California, and played football for the Poly High Jackrabbits. Levy also played two seasons at Long Beach City College and was a guard at UCLA in 1953-54. He coached the UCLA frosh in 1954, assisted at Long Beach City in 1955, then returned to Poly High, becoming varsity coach in 1957 and compiling a 28-1-1 record in three seasons, capped by Southern California championships in 1958-59.

Dave and his wife, Barrie, reside in Solana Beach. Dave has two sons, John (July 17, 1955) and Robert (Oct. 23, 1958).



JERRY SMITH

Defensive Line

Since Smith's arrival in 1977 the Chargers have amassed 247 quarterback sacks, tops in the NFL over the past five years. In 1981 the Chargers tied for third in the NFL with 47 sacks, bettered only by the New York Jets (66), and Oakland (52). The Chargers' front four featured newcomer John Woodcock at right end. Under the guidance of Smith, Woodcock made the transition from defensive tackle to end and concluded the season with 9 sacks, second on the team behind Gary Johnson's 10.

Smith's presence resulted in similar achievement by Baltimore's front four when he was an assistant coach with the Colts from 1973-76. The Colts led the NFL with 59 sacks in 1975 and were second with 57 in 1976. He also was the architect of Buffalo's championship defensive lines in 1964 and 1965.

Smith is one of the last remaining original American Football League coaches, having served on the staff of head coach Lou Saban with the Boston Patriots in 1960. He also has coached at New Orleans, Denver, Cleveland, and Houston. Smith posted a 2-3 record as Denver's head coach in 1970 after replacing Saban, who resigned.

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Smith played linebacker for the University of Wisconsin from 1948-51. He was an eighth-round draft choice of the San Francisco 49ers in 1952 and played three seasons for San Francisco before entering the military. Smith concluded his playing career with Green Bay in 1957.

He was born Jerome Anthony Smith Sept. 9, 1930, in Dayton, Ohio, and played football for the Chaminade High Eagles. Jerry and his wife Shirley live in Poway. They have 3 daughters, Diane (Nov. 1, 1961), Meghan (Jan. 27, 1965), and Molly (Nov. 17, 1971), and two sons, Jeffrey (May 28, 1962) and Brian (May 15, 1963).



JIM WAGSTAFF

Defensive Backs

Wagstaff entered his second season as coach of the Chargers defensive backs. In 1981 the Chargers picked off 23 passes and gained 224 yards in returns. The Chargers had nine interceptions in the last five weeks of the season, and two in the playoffs.

Wagstaff replaced Larrye Weaver as coach of the defensive backfield February 9, 1981, after Weaver became offensive coordinator. Jim had spent the previous three seasons as defensive backfield coach with the Buffalo Bills, for whom his units led the AFC in pass defense each year. Prior to his service with the Bills, Wagstaff was coach of defensive backs at Los Angeles from 1973-1977, during which time the Ram secondary developed into one of the strongest in the NFC, leading the league in interceptions in 1976.

Jim came to the Rams after serving at Boise State as linebacker and secondary coach and defensive coordinator, 1969-72.

Wagstaff was a defensive back for the Buffalo Bills in the infant years of the American Football League (1960-61). After his graduation from Idaho State, where he played running back and cornerback, Wagstaff played one season with the Chicago Cardinals of the NFL before joining the Bills.

He was born James Burke Wagstaff June 12, 1936, in American Falls, Idaho. Wagstaff played football for the American Falls High Beavers. Jim and his wife Nancy have two daughters, Cary (Aug. 26, 1956), and Geniel (Feb. 11, 1959) and live in Poway.

Chargers on Artificial Turf

Year	W-L	Year	W-L
1981	1-3	1974	2-1
1980	3-1	1973	0-3
1979	4-1	1972	1-2
1978	2-3	1971	0-2
1977	3-1	1969	1-1
1976	2-1		
1975	1-2	Total	20-21



LARRYE WEAVER

Offensive Coordinator

Weaver's units established NFL records for total net yardage (6,744) and passing yardage (4,873) in a single season in 1981, his first year as offensive coordinator. Both records surpassed the NFL best set by the Chargers during the 1980 season. The Chargers also bettered their 1980 records for first downs by compiling 378, with 629 passing attempts, and with 360 completions. The Chargers scored 478 points in 1981, second highest total in NFL history, bettered only by the 513 points scored by the Houston Oilers in 1961.

Weaver moved from defense to offense in 1981 after serving as coach of the defensive backfield for the Chargers from 1977-80. During those four seasons Weaver developed the secondary into one of the strongest units in the NFL. In 1977 his group finished sixth in the NFL; this was preceded by a twenty-seventh-ranked finish in 1976, prior to Weaver's arrival. In 1979 the Chargers' secondary ranked second in the AFC, while allowing only 11 touchdown passes over a 16-game schedule. The mark broke the team record of 13 that was over a 14-game schedule in 1974.

Weaver replaced Joe Gibbs as offensive coordinator when Gibbs was named head coach of the Washington Redskins.

Weaver and Chargers offensive backfield coach Earnel Durden teamed on Tommy Prothro's UCLA staff in 1969-70, and moved with Prothro to the Los Angeles Rams 1971-72. Weaver was defensive backfield coach of the New England Patriots from 1973-76. Weaver also was a college coach at North Dakota State from 1964-66, and at the University of Arizona in 1967-68.

He was born Lawrence Bernard Weaver Nov. 17, 1931, in Monte Vista, Colorado, but grew up in Southern California, playing football for the Anaheim High Colonists and Fullerton Junior College. Weaver was graduated from Adams State College, Colorado.

Larrye and his wife Evelyn live in Escondido. They have three sons, Chris (May 16, 1954), Brett (July 6, 1962), and Greg (May 22, 1965), and two daughters, Vicky (Aug. 24, 1952) and Sandy (Sept. 23, 1955).

Season Seat Sales

		1971	30,045
1961	9,138	1972	37,144
1962	10,104	1973	40,341
1963	8,828	1974	30,174
1964	10,492	1975	22,926
1965	11,309	1976	20,467
1966	16,316	1977	21,847
1967	24,301	1978	32,186
1968	22,301	1979	43,600
1969	23,904	1980	49,675
1970	27,940	1981	49,675



CHUCK WEBER

Linebackers

Weber was named to coach the Chargers linebackers March 2, 1982. Weber held the same position for the Chargers from 1968-69. Weber coached linebackers in Baltimore from 1980-81. Weber began his coaching career as defensive coordinator with Boston, serving the Patriots from 1964-67. Chuck moved from San Diego to Cincinnati, where he coached defensive backs from 1970-75. Weber joined Don Coryell's St. Louis staff for the 1976 and '77 seasons, coaching defensive backs. Weber moved to Cleveland for the 1978-79 seasons, coaching defensive backs for the Browns.

Weber played seven years in the NFL with the Cleveland Browns, Chicago Cardinals and Philadelphia Eagles. He was a rookie linebacker on the 1955 Cleveland NFL championship team and played on the Eagles' 1960 championship team before retiring in 1961.

A graduate of West Chester State College, Pennsylvania, Weber holds a masters degree in Administration from Temple University.

He was born Charles Frederick Weber Jr. in Philadelphia on March 24, 1930.

Chuck and his wife Ginnie have five children, sons Charles (Oct. 16, 1957), Wayne (Jan. 26, 1959), Bruce (Nov. 10, 1966), and Scott (June 13, 1968), and a daughter, Tracey (March 4, 1962).



ERNIE ZAMPESE

Wide Receivers

For the second consecutive year Chargers receivers led the NFL in reception yardage. Kellen Winslow, Charlie Joiner and Wes Chandler caught passes for more than 1,000 yards each (including Chandler's first four games with the New Orleans Saints). This feat has been equaled only once, by the 1980 Chargers under the direction of Zampese.

Zampese is in his fourth season as coach of the wide receivers. Zampese was defensive backfield coach with the Chargers in 1976, followed by a scouting assignment with the New York Jets in 1977-78.

Ernie was Southern California player of the year as running back for the Santa Barbara High Dons in 1953. He was a starting tailback at USC in 1955-56.

Zampese was graduated from Cal Poly of San Luis Obispo and earned a master's degree in physical education in 1962. He coached at Allan Hancock Junior College in Santa Maria, California, from 1962-'65, and at Cal Poly (SLO) in 1966.

He was born Ernest Eugene Zampese March 12, 1936, in Santa Barbara. Ernie and his wife, Joyce, have four children, daughters Kristin (May 26, 1962), and Laurie (Nov. 22, 1963), and sons Kenneth (July 19, 1967) and Jon (July 13, 1975).



BIRT SLATER

Special Assistant-Defense

Slater is in his sixth year as an assistant for the Chargers' defensive coaches. Birt reviews game films to develop research programs on opposing teams. His work is instrumental in developing the defensive game plan for the upcoming opponent. Slater came to the Chargers as one of the most successful and respected coaches in San Diego high school athletics.

Slater coached the Kearny High Komets from 1959-77. His teams won league championships 16 times and San Diego Section titles 3 times. The Komets also set a county record by winning 25 games in a row from 1963-65. Slater was an assistant coach on the powerful San Diego High teams from 1952-58 and his varsity track-and-field team at San Diego High won the Southern California championships in 1957.

Slater lettered three years in football at San Diego State, 1949-51, and was a starting end on the unbeaten, 11-0 team of 1951. He has a master's degree in human relations from U.S. International University in San Diego.

William Birt Slater was born July 2, 1924, in Culver City, California. Slater played football and was a half-miler in track for the Canoga Park High Hunters in Los Angeles' San Fernando Valley. Birt is married (Evelyn) and lives in Lemon Grove. The Slaters have a daughter, Christine (March 21, 1952), and two sons, John (July 22, 1954) and Steven (March 12, 1958).



RIC McDONALD

Trainer

McDonald is in his eleventh year as the Chargers' trainer. He joined the team as assistant trainer in 1971 and was promoted to his present position a year later. McDonald had spent the previous two seasons as trainer for United States International University.

He was born Thomas Richard McDonald April 10, 1943, in Salt Lake City, Utah. Rick played football for the East High Leopards and is a 1967 graduate of the University of Utah, with a degree in physical education. He holds a certificate in physical therapy from the University of California. He has a master's degree in P.E. from USIU. Ric is married (Jan), with a son, Bennett (July 3, 1981) and resides in Tierrasanta.



SID BROOKS

Equipment Manager

Brooks joined the Chargers Feb. 7, 1973, a few months before discharge after 20 years in the U.S. Air Force.

Brooks earned 20 service ribbons in the Air Force and was the Air Force's Outstanding Airman of 1970.

Sid was stationed at the Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colorado, from 1968-73, and was in charge of the Cadet Athletic Supply during that time. He also holds Associate of Arts degree in four areas of specialization: business management, fashion merchandising, purchasing and materials, and industrial supervision.

Sidney Joseph Patrick Brooks was born March 17, 1935, in Saint Genevieve, Missouri. Sid and his wife, Gerri, reside in Tierrasanta and have three sons, Joe (Dec. 15, 1959), Michael (Nov. 5, 1961), and Brett (Jan. 24, 1969), and a daughter, Alison (May 2, 1965).



PHIL TYNE

Conditioning Coordinator

Tyne is in charge of the weightlifting, conditioning and stretching programs for the Chargers. Phil is in his fifth season with the club. Tyne also has established conditioning programs for the San Diego Sockers soccer team and the U.S. Olympic volleyball team.

Phil attended Ohio State University and was graduated from San Diego State in 1976 with a bachelor's degree in athletic medicine.

He is working toward a master's degree in that field.

He was born Phillip James Tyne Oct. 17, 1947, in Columbus, Ohio. Phil is single and resides in La Mesa.



Leader of Air Coryell meets with squad on.

Jerry Roberts



BOB SNEDDON
Scout



RON NAY
Scout



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WOODWARD**
Physician



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Player Personnel



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PEASLEY**
Charger Backers



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Ticket Director



JOE SCOTT
Ticket Office



JOHN HOAGLIN
Stadium Manager



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Assistant to
Eugene V. Klein



SUSAN BARNES
Business Manager's
Office



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Secretary



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Advertising, Promotions



DONNA LANDON
Secretary

Veterans





HANK BAUER (BOW-er)

Running Back

37

5-11, 200
Sixth Year

California Lutheran
Free Agent—'77

The television camera and the eyes of the fans usually are on number 37 when the Chargers' kickoff or punting games are in motion, because Bauer often is the first

player to reach the opposing kick returner . . . that's one of the reasons Bauer was named the Chargers' special teams player of the year for the second consecutive season by his teammates in 1981 . . . Hank also was selected NFL special teams player of the year by Cable News Network of Atlanta, Georgia, after similarly being cited by Inside Sports magazine in 1980 . . . example of Bauer's ability to sift through wedges and lurking blockers came in San Diego's 41-38 playoff victory at Miami Jan. 2, 1982 . . . Bauer recovered Rolf Benirschke's kickoff, setting up the Chargers on the Dolphins' 29-yard line, whence they moved to a touchdown for a 17-0, first-quarter lead . . . led special teams with 31 unassisted tackles, 52 total tackles, and 310 special-teams plays . . . caught 4-yard touchdown pass from Dan Fouts to give Chargers 34-14 lead in 44-14 victory over Cleveland in opening Monday night game of 1981 season . . . signed with Chargers July 15, 1977, the day before training camp and one year after being released in training camp by Dallas, which had signed Bauer as rookie free agent in 1976.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Henry John Bauer July 15, 1954, in Scottsbluff, Nebraska . . . not related to former major league baseball player and manager of same name but did collect his bubble-gum card as youngster . . . played football for the Magnolia High Sentinels in Anaheim, California . . . won four varsity letters, small-college all-America honors, and was graduated with academic distinction from California Lutheran College, Thousand Oaks . . . holds 12 school records, including those for most rushing yards in a season (1,024), rushing attempts in a season (185), and touchdowns in a game (4) . . . scored 40 touchdowns in four seasons . . . nickname is "The Howitzer" . . . toured U.S. military bases in the Far East and in Europe after 1978 and 1979 seasons as part of NFL/United Service Organization programs . . . has served on board of regents of Dana College, Blair, Nebraska, since 1980 . . . owns home in Tierrasanta district and spends off-season in myriad projects . . . is honorary chairman of golf tournament in his name that gives proceeds to San Diego Arthritis Foundation . . . co-hosted the 21-hour San Diego Easter Seals telethon with San Diego television personality Jerry Bishop in March . . . has bench pressed 420 pounds . . . single.

Bauer's Statistics Rushing

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD	Pass Receiving No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1977	San Diego	13-0	4-4	1.0	3	0	1-15	15.0	15t	1
1978	San Diego	16-4	85-304	3.6	37t	8	10-78	7.8	14t	1
1979	San Diego	16-0	22-28	1.3	6	8	0-0	—	—	—
1980	San Diego	16-0	10-34	3.4	7	1	0-0	—	—	—
1981	San Diego	16-0	2-7	3.5	4	0	1-4	4.0	4t	1
Totals		77-4	123-377	3.1	37t	17	12-97	8.1	15t	3
Postseason		5-0	0-0	—	—	—	0-0	—	—	—

Additional: 1979-81, 7 kickoff ret., 143 yds., 20.4 avg., 31 long; 1979, 1 sack att., 1 pass, -13 yds.; 1981, 1 punt ret., 7 yds. Postseason: 1979-80, 8 kickoff ret., 152 yds., 19.0 avg., 27 long

Single-game Highs

Yards rushing—60, at New England, Oct. 1, 1978
Rushing attempts—16, at New England, Oct. 1, 1978
Longest run—37t, vs. Chicago, Dec. 4, 1978
TD rushing—3, at New Orleans, Dec. 9, 1979
Receptions—3, at Minnesota, Nov. 19, 1978
Yards receiving—27, at Minnesota, Nov. 19, 1978
Longest reception—15t, vs. Cleveland, Dec. 3, 1977
TD receptions—1, three times. Last: at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981



DOUG BEAUDOIN (Ba-DOINE) Safety **45**

6-1, 190 Minnesota
Seventh Year Waivers (Miami) — '81

Came to Chargers Oct. 21, 1981, from Miami on waivers and played in four games before being placed on injured reserve with hyperextended elbow Nov.

20 . . . activated again Dec. 31 in time for playoffs . . . got into both postseason contests on special teams . . . hard-hitting player who has savvy and experience, having started 21 games for New England at strong safety in 1978-79 and playing nickel defensive back position on passing downs after joining Miami as free agent Oct. 1, 1980 . . . ninth-round draft choice of New England's and 243rd player chosen in 1976 NFL collegiate draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Douglas Lee Beaudoin May 15, 1954, in Dickinson, North Dakota . . . played football and basketball for the Jamestown High Blue Jays and was North Dakota High School athlete of the year in 1972 . . . four-year starter at University of Minnesota . . . second-team all-Big 10 as senior . . . majored in business administration and worked toward degree this off-season while also enrolled in real estate academy at night . . . married (Renee) with a son Ryan (Oct. 2, 1978) and daughter Brie Anne (Aug. 21, 1980).

Beaudoin's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	Int.-Yds.	Long.	TD
1976	New England	9-0			1	0-0	—	0
1977	New England	11-0			0	0-0	—	—
1978	New England	15-13		49	0	3-25	13	0
1979	New England	10-7		17½	2	1-30	30	0
1980	Miami	10-0	7-4	11	0	0-0	—	—
1981	San Diego	4-0	2-2	4	0	0-0	—	—
	Totals	59-20			3	4-55	30	0
	Postseason	3-1				0-0	—	—



RICKY BELL Running Back **42**

6-2, 225 Southern California
Sixth Year Trade (Tampa Bay) — '82

Acquired by Chargers from Tampa Bay March 9, 1982, for fourth-round choice in 1982 draft . . . big, strong runner who was the first selection of 1977 draft . . . coming off injury-plagued season in which Bell was out of lineup for eight games with chip fracture in shoulder . . . hurt Sept. 20 in Chicago and did not see action until Nov. 15 . . . also missed most of last 5 games of 1980 season with bruised knee . . . good blocker who can play fullback or running back . . . best season was 1979 when Tampa Bay advanced to NFC championship . . . Bell gained 1,263 yards, averaged 4.5 yards for 283 rushes and started all 18 games . . . set NFL record for most rushing attempts in a play-off with 38 (for 142 yards and 2 touchdowns) against Philadelphia Dec. 29, 1979 . . . two weeks before in final regular-season game, Bell carried 39 times for 137 yards against Kansas City as Bucs claimed NFC Central title . . . two games total (with week off in between) of 77 rushes has not been exceeded in NFL . . . holds Bucs' record of 167 yards rushing in game against Green Bay Nov. 21, 1979 . . . has rushed for at least 100 yards seven times.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Ricky Lynn Bell April 8, 1955, in Houston, Texas . . . runner-up to Pittsburgh's Tony Dorsett in 1976 Heisman Trophy vote . . . gained 3,675 yards in three seasons for USC Trojans, for whom he played linebacker as freshman . . .

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led nation with 1,875 yards as junior . . . set Pac 10 records as senior with 51 carries and 347 yards against Washington State . . . injuries slowed Bell last half of senior season but he returned to gain 167 yards in final regular-season game against UCLA . . . returned to Los Angeles after each of first two professional seasons and earned degree in speech and communications in June, 1979 . . . blocking back for Fremont High Pathfinders in Los Angeles as junior, clearing way for Chester Lemon, who went on to become major league baseball star . . . gained 995 yards as senior and was all-Los Angeles City Section choice . . . fifth of seven brothers, one of whom was leader of Archie Bell and the Drells, rhythm and blues singing group of the 1960s . . . resides in Los Angeles' Baldwin Hills with wife Natalia and daughter Noelle (Jan. 4, 1981).

Bell's Statistics

Rushing

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD	Pass No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1977	Tampa Bay	11-10	148-436	2.9	20	1	11-88	8.0	23	0
1978	Tampa Bay	12-9	185-679	3.7	56	6	15-122	8.1	22	0
1979	Tampa Bay	16-16	283-1263	4.5	49	7	25-248	9.9	26	2
1980	Tampa Bay	14-12	174-599	3.4	40	2	38-292	7.7	22	1
1981	Tampa Bay	7-3	30-80	2.7	8	0	8-92	11.5	22	0
Totals		60-50	820-3057	3.7	56	16	97-842	8.7	26	3
Postseason		2-2	58-201	3.5	26	2	2-12	6.0	10	0

Pass Receiving

100 Yards Rushing

Date	Opponent	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
Nov. 5, 1978	at Los Angeles	21-104	5.0	22	1
Oct. 14, 1979	vs. New Orleans	10-101	10.1	49	0
Oct. 21, 1979	vs. Green Bay	28-167	6.0	26	1
Nov. 18, 1979	vs. N.Y. Giants	22-152	6.9	31	0
Nov. 25, 1979	vs. Minnesota	28-101	3.6	37	1
Dec. 16, 1979	vs. Kansas City	39-137	3.5	14	0
*Dec. 29, 1979	vs. Philadelphia	38-142	3.7	26	2
Nov. 2, 1980	vs. N.Y. Giants	26-130	5.0	21t	2

Single-game Highs

Yards rushing—167, vs. Green Bay, Oct. 21, 1979
 Rushing attempts—39, vs. Kansas City, Dec. 16, 1979
 Longest run—56, vs. Detroit, Sept. 9, 1978
 TD rushing—2, two times, Last: vs. Philadelphia, Dec. 29, 1979*
 Receptions—6, at Kansas City, Sept. 13, 1981
 Yards receiving—70, at Kansas City, Sept. 13, 1981
 Longest reception—26, vs. New Orleans, Oct. 14, 1979
 TD receptions—1, three times, Last: vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 9, 1980
 *NFC Playoff



ROLF BENIRSCHKE

Kicker (Ben-Er-schKA)

6

6-1, 175

California-Davis

Sixth Year

Waivers (Oakland) - '77

Benirschke is progressing to a standard that would make him the NFL's all-time leading kicker . . . completed another strong year with 19 field goals in 26

attempts in 1981 regular-season . . . 731 percentage was second in AFC to .774 of Miami's Uwe von Schamann and sixth in NFL . . . lacks minimum 100 field goals but career record of 82 successes in 111 attempts for .739 percentage is far ahead of all-time leader Anton (Toni) Fritsch, who had .683 percentage at end of 1981 season . . . Chargers waived Fritsch at end of 1977 preseason to make room for Benirschke . . . had 2 kicks that decided games for Chargers in last minute in 1981—22-yard placement with 13 seconds remaining that topped visiting Kansas City 22-20 Nov. 1 and 29-yard placement with 45 seconds remaining that provided a 24-23 triumph at Tampa Bay Dec. 13 . . . also kicked 29-yard field goal after 13:52 of overtime for decisive points in Chargers' 41-38 playoff victory at Miami Jan. 2, 1982 . . . Rolf's 28-yard field goal after 7:14 of overtime had given the Chargers a 27-24 victory at Miami Nov. 20, 1980, in a Thursday night game . . . also provided winning points in San Diego against Oakland Nov. 20,

1977, with 23- and 46-yard field goals in second half that brought Chargers from behind to a 12-7 victory . . .

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Rolf Joachim Benirschke Feb. 7, 1955, in Boston, Massachusetts . . . father, Dr. Kurt Benirschke, internationally acclaimed pathologist and conservationist, was born in Germany; Rolf's mother was born in New York City . . . Rolf became interested in soccer at age 5 when his father was chairman of the Pathology department at Dartmouth College Medical School in Hanover, New Hampshire . . . continued to participate in soccer as part of conditioning programs for youth skiing and ice hockey teams on which he competed in Hanover . . . moved to San Diego in tenth grade and was persuaded by a friend to turn out for football as soccer-style placekicker for La Jolla High Vikings in his senior season, 1972 . . . continued to kick in college at the University of California at Davis while also playing soccer . . . graduated in 1977 with degree in zoology after making 29 of 43 attempts in four years, including 10 in a row and 14 of 19 in senior year . . . selected by Oakland in twelfth round of 1977 NFL draft . . . 334th and next-to-last player chosen . . . came to Chargers on waivers Sept. 13, 1977 . . . father now is director of research at San Diego Zoo and professor of reproductive medicine and pathology at UC San Diego Medical School . . . it was with father's assistance that Rolf established "Kicks for Critters" after 1979 season . . . Benirschke donates \$50 after each field goal and supporters of "Kicks for Critters" responded with matching donations that resulted in \$76,000 being raised in 1980 and \$160,000 in 1981 for projects that aid in research for the preservation of endangered species . . . Rolf also is the National Sports Council Chairman for the National Foundation for Ileitis and Colitis and participates in numerous other charities in San Diego area . . . during 1978 season Benirschke began experiencing stomach discomfort . . . a few months later doctors diagnosed Crohn's Disease, a chronic intestinal ailment . . . stomach discomfort subsided after 1978 season but reoccurred in 1979 training camp . . . Rolf kicked 4 field goals in 4 attempts, tying a Chargers record, in an opening game, 33-16 victory at Seattle Sept. 2, 1979 but the achievement was made with Benirschke in pain and at a point when he was losing weight and strength . . . his condition deteriorated until Benirschke was placed on injured reserve Sept. 29, 1979, and admitted to University Hospital in San Diego . . . almost died as the result of complications surrounding two surgical procedures . . . San Diegans did not see him again until Oct. 18, 1979, after his weight dropped from 174 to 123 and Benirschke was feeling well enough to visit his former teammates in locker-room before an important game with Pittsburgh . . . teammates named Rolf an honorary captain for the game and he walked to the middle of the field for the pregame coin toss . . . determined rehabilitation and comeback in 1980 resulted in Rolf's being honored throughout the country for his courage . . . his intestinal problems finally were solved early this year . . . doctors at New York City's Mount Sinai Hospital determined that Benirschke had been suffering from Ulcerative Colitis and not chronic Crohn's Disease . . . "I'm healthier and happier," Rolf said after the last surgery, in which doctors removed the remaining portion of his colon, which, while not creating physical discomfort the last two seasons, had become diseased . . . weight dropped again, from 175 to 150 while in the hospital, but he rallied swiftly, embarking

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on a Caribbean cruise not long after returning to his home in La Jolla . . . single.

Benirschke's Statistics

Year	Team	G	FG-Att	Pct	Blk	Long	Avg Made	PAT-Att	Blk	Pts
1977	San Diego	14	17-23	.739	1	47	35.0	21-25	1	72
1978	San Diego	15	18-22	.818	1	44	29.4	37-43	1	91
1979	San Diego	4	4-4	1.000	0	42	29.5	12-12	0	24
1980	San Diego	16	24-36	.667	1	53	36.0	46-49	1	118
1981	San Diego	16	19-26	.731	0	52	33.4	55-61	3	112
Totals		65	82-111	.739	3	53	33.4	171-190	6	417
Postseason		4	6-11	.545	0	32	26.3	11-11	0	29

Field Goal Accuracy

Year	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-Plus	Total	Pct.
1977	0-0	5-5	6-9	6-8	0-1	17-23	.739
1978	2-2	9-10	4-6	3-4	0-0	18-22	.818
1979	0-0	2-2	1-1	1-1	0-0	4-4	1.000
1980	0-0	7-8	8-12	6-10	3-6	24-36	.667
1981	2-2	7-7	5-8	3-4	2-5	19-26	.731
Totals	4-4	30-32	24-36	18-27	5-12	82-111	.739
Postseason	0-0	5-6	1-2	0-1	0-2	6-11	.545

1981 Field Goal Breakdown

(boldface indicates successful attempt)

At Cleveland (50, 43, 32); at Kansas City (50, 30); at Denver (52); Seattle (47); Minnesota (31, 39); at Baltimore (30); at Chicago (18, 52); Kansas City (29, 19, 22); Cincinnati (47, 37); at Seattle (32); Denver (50, 41); Buffalo (29, 27); at Tampa Bay (29); Oakland (24, 27, 39).

Postseason

At Miami (32, 55, 27, 29); at Cincinnati (37, 50)

Kicking Surfaces

Year	Home-Pct.	Road Grass	Road Turf	Road-Pct.	Total
1977	10/13 - .769	3/4	4/6	7/10 - .700	17/23
1978	13/15 - .867	2/2	3/5	5/7 - .714	18/22
1979	0/0 - .000	0/0	4/4	4/4 - 1.000	4/4
1980	12/21 - .571	7/8	5/7	12/15 - .800	24/36
1981	11/15 - .733	6/6	2/5	8/11 - .727	19/26
Totals	46/64 - .719	18/20	18/27	36/47 - .766	82/111

Single-game Highs

Points—15, two times, Last: at Seattle, Sept. 2, 1979
 Field goals—4, three times, Last: vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980
 Field goal attempts—4, six times, Last: vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980
 Longest field goal: 53, at Denver, Sept. 21, 1980
 Longest attempt: 53, at Denver, Sept. 21, 1980
 PAT attempted—8, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
 PAT—7, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981

Postseason

Points—11, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982
 Field goals—2, three times, Last: at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982
 Field goal attempts—4, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982
 Longest field goal—32, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982
 Longest attempt—55, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982
 PAT attempted—5, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982
 PAT—5, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982



CARLOS BRADLEY

Linebacker

50

6-1/4, 221

Second Year

Wake Forest

Draft 11B—'81

Fast, muscular athlete made 13 tackles on special teams and was one of first players down field on kicking teams . . . waived Aug. 25, 1981, and recalled Oct.

28 . . . played in remaining 8 regular-season games . . . placed on injured reserve Dec. 31 with groin injury prior to first-round playoff game in Miami.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Carlos Humberto Bradley April 27, 1960, in Philadelphia . . . started last two and a half seasons and made 92 tackles with 2 interceptions as senior . . . played in Blue-Gray game after senior year and made all-America "strength team" . . . played high school football for the Germantown Bears in suburban Philadelphia . . . resides in Philadelphia.



JAMES BROOKS

RB-KR

21

5-9, 176

Second Year

Auburn

Draft 1-'81

Splendid, hard-running athlete who completed brilliant rookie season with 2,093 yards rushing, receiving, and returning

... total is third highest for first-year player

in NFL, behind 2,272 of Chicago's Gale Sayers in 1966 and 2,100 of Dallas Texans' Abner Haynes in 1960 ... 13.2-yard average

for 22 punt returns led AFC and was second in NFL to 13.4 of Los Angeles' Leroy Irvin ... averaged 23.7 yards for 40 kickoff

returns and provided Chargers with their most consistent performance since Ron Smith averaged 26.3 for 36 returns in 1973 ...

named all-AFC kick returner by College & Pro Football News Weekly ... averaged 4.8 yards for 109 rushing attempts and scored

3 touchdowns ... blockbuster 28-yard touchdown run in which Brooks broke 4 tackles opened scoring in 23-10 victory over

Oakland Dec. 21; the victory clinched third consecutive AFC West title for Chargers ... made tremendous contribution at Oakland

Nov. 22, when 6-5 Chargers faced virtual elimination from division and playoff race after successive blow outs of 40-17 to Cin-

cinnati and 44-23 to Seattle ... rushed for 97 yards in 17 carries, caught 5 passes for 38 yards, including 12-yard touchdown pass

from Dan Fouts, and returned 2 kickoffs for 68 yards and 2 punts for 79 yards for 282 total in Chargers' 55-21 victory over Raiders

... caught 46 passes for 3 touchdowns ... added two touchdown receptions in Miami playoff; the second, a 9-yard strike from Fouts

with 58 seconds remaining in the game, provided the tying touchdown in game San Diego eventually won 41-38 in overtime

... missed two games, Seattle Oct. 4 and Minnesota Oct. 11, with hamstring injury sustained Sept. 27 at Denver ... started 2 games

when injuries slowed Chuck Muncie ... does not have great stature but is hardnosed, has powerful upper body, and comes to play

... Twenty-fourth player and third running back (behind New York Jets' Freeman McNeil and Baltimore's Randy McMillan) in draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born James Robert Brooks Dec. 28, 1958, in Warner Robins, Georgia ... averaged 5.7 yards for 621

rushes in four seasons at Auburn University, culminating with Associated Press and United Press International second-team all-

America selections as senior ... averaged 164.9 yards rushing for 26 starting appearances ... averaged 7.6 yards each time

he touched ball in 38 games ... played in same backfield in 1978 with other future NFL stars Williams Andrews (Atlanta) and Joe

Cribbs (Buffalo) ... led East team with 53 yards in 8 carries in January, 1981, Hula Bowl in Honolulu ... rushed for more than

3,000 yards and scored 45 touchdowns in three seasons for Warner Robins High Demons teams that posted 31-2 record, con-

cluding with 13-0 mark and designation as co-national high school champion with Cincinnati Moller in 1976 ... resides in Warner

Robins with wife Donna and son James Darnell (April 17, 1979).

Rushing

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1981	San Diego	14-2	109-525	4.8	28t	3
	Postseason	2-1	9-42	4.7	14	0

Kickoff Returns

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1981	40-949	23.7	47	0
Postseason	9-162	18.0	36	0

Single-game Highs

Yards Rushing—97, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981; Rushing Attempts—17, two times, Last: at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981; Longest Run—28t, vs. Oakland, Dec. 21, 1981; Receptions—9, at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981; Yards Receiving—90, at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981; TD Receptions—2, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982*; Longest Reception—29t, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981; Longest Kickoff Return—47, at Chicago, Oct. 25, 1981; Yards Kickoff Returns—123, at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981; Longest Punt Return—42, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981; Yards Punt Returns—79, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981.

*AFC Playoff.

Pass Receiving

No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long.	TD
46-329	7.2	29t	2
6-36	6.0	9t	2

Punt Returns

No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
22-290	13.2	42	0
1-8	8.0	8	0



WILLIE BUCHANON

Cornerback

28

6-1/2, 185 San Diego State

Eleventh Year Trade (Green Bay)—'79

Stylish defender whose third year with Chargers was best . . . led team with 5 pass interceptions, 19 pass breakups . . .

also added 96 tackles . . . came to San

Diego from Green Bay April 26, 1979, for 1980 first- and seventh-round draft choices . . . has started all 128 professional games in which he's appeared, including 92 in row . . . missed last 8 games of 1973 and last 12 games of 1975 with broken bones in left leg . . . Buchanan's streak actually goes all the way back to Oceanside High in North San Diego County suburb; he has started every game he's played since sophomore year in high school, 1965 . . . Packers' first-round draft choice, seventh player selected, and first defensive back of 1972 draft . . . NFL defensive rookie of year, 1972 . . . intercepted 4 passes and returned one for 77-yard touchdown in 24-3 Green Bay victory at San Diego Sept. 24, 1978

. . . that game was Buchanan's first as a professional in home-

town area . . . tied for NFC lead with 9 pass interceptions in 1978

. . . played in AFC-NFC Pro Bowl after 1974 and 1978 seasons.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Willie James Buchanan Nov. 4, 1950, in Oceanside, California . . . cousin of C.R. Roberts, great

Oceanside High athlete of early 1950s and later star at USC and in NFL . . . played baseball freshman year at Mira Costa College

in Oceanside and was selected in second round of winter draft by San Diego Padres in 1969 . . . competed in track in high school

with best times of :15.5 in 120-yard high hurdles, :19.6 in 180 lows; also ran leg on 440-yard relay . . . all-America in 1971 at San Diego

State, where he was affiliated with coaches Don Coryell and Ernie Zampese, now of Chargers . . . started in Senior Bowl and Chicago

All-Star games and was most-valuable player in East-West Shrine game after intercepting 3 passes for West . . . one of most active

Chargers in community . . . serves as a director of Bank of the Oceans in Oceanside . . . also is director of the National Bicycle

Association in San Diego and member of the Toni Michetti Dance Company which performs at charity events in San Diego . . . has

a teaching credential and works on the secondary school level in Oceanside School District . . . married (Gail) with a daughter,

Jenae (July 1, 1980) . . . lives in San Carlos district.

Buchanan's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Fum. Rec.	Int.-Yds.	TD	Long
1972	Green Bay	14-14			3	4-62	0	26
1973	Green Bay	6-6	24		1	0-0	—	—
1974	Green Bay	14-14			1	4-10	0	8
1975	Green Bay	2-2			1	0-0	—	—
1976	Green Bay	14-14	55-9	64	0	2-28	0	22
1977	Green Bay	14-14	75-10	85	1	2-41	1	29
1978	Green Bay	16-16	73-9	82	1	9-93	1	77
1979	San Diego	16-16	54-17	71	1	0-0	—	—
1980	San Diego	16-16	63-26	89	2	2-13	0	7
1981	San Diego	16-16	68-28	96	4	5-31	0	18
Totals		128-128	412-99	511	15	28-278	2	77
Postseason		6-6	12-12	24	1	1-0	0	0

Additional: 1972, block field goal ret., 57 yds., TD.

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—4, at San Diego, Sept. 24, 1978

Yards returned—77, at San Diego, Sept. 24, 1978

Longest return—77, at San Diego, Sept. 24, 1978

TD interceptions—2, Last: 77, at San Diego, Sept. 24, 1978



JOHN CAPPELLETTI

Fullback (Cap-pul-LETTY)

25

6-1, 224 Penn State
Eighth Year Trade (Los Angeles) - '80

With Chuck Muncie and James Brooks sidelined with injuries, Cappelletti started against Seattle Oct. 4, 1981, and responded with 14 carries for 85 yards, a 6.1-yard

average . . . it was Cappelletti's top rushing performance of year and his second-best as a Charger since Cappy gained 112 yards in 16 carries, including a 46-yard run, the longest of his career, at Seattle Sept. 7, 1980 . . . strong runner and powerful blocker . . . started five games and played in all 16 regular-season games and both postseason games . . . ranked third among Charger rushers in 1980 and 1981 . . . did not carry ball after tenth game of 1980 and missed final four games of that season on injured reserve with viral infection . . . activated for AFC championship game against Oakland in 1980 . . . came to San Diego March 20, 1980, in trade with Los Angeles for 1982 second-round draft choice . . . missed 1979 season with groin injury . . . first suffered injury late in 1978 and missed last two games of regular season after 42 consecutive starting games at fullback . . . named Rams' outstanding back in 1978 by Ye Olde Rams Club . . . became starter at fullback in third season after being limited to short-yardage situations for most of first two seasons . . . Rams' first-round draft choice and eleventh player in 1974 draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born John Raymond Cappelletti Aug. 9, 1952, in Philadelphia . . . grew up in Upper Darby, Pennsylvania, and played quarterback for the Monsignor Bonner High Friars . . . named to virtually every major all-America team, including UPI, AP, Football Writers Association and Coaches Association as Penn State senior . . . Heisman Trophy winner . . . ran 286 times for 1,522 yards, a 6.3-yard average, and 17 touchdowns as senior in 1973 . . . lives in Westminster, California, with wife Betty and sons Nichlas (July 19, 1980) and John Raymond, Jr. (April 16, 1982) . . . heads John Cappelletti Associates, computer programming firm.

Cappelletti's Statistics

Rushing

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD	Pass No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1974	Los Angeles	14-1	55-198	3.6	20	0	6-35	5.8	9	0
1975	Los Angeles	13-0	48-158	3.3	30	6	None			
1976	Los Angeles	14-14	177-688	3.9	38	1	30-302	10.1	32	1
1977	Los Angeles	14-14	178-598	3.4	15	5	28-228	8.1	25	1
1978	Los Angeles	14-14	174-604	3.5	26	3	41-382	9.3	37	1
1979	Los Angeles	Did not play—injured groin					None			
1980	San Diego	10-8	101-364	3.6	46	5	13-112	8.6	12	0
1981	San Diego	16-5	68-254	3.7	30	4	10-126	12.6	25	1
Totals		95-56	801-2864	3.6	46	22	128-1185	9.3	37	4
Postseason		12-5	61-206	3.4	16	1	7-58	8.3	15	0

Pass Receiving

100 Yards Rushing

Date	Opponent	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
Sept. 19, 1976	at Minnesota, OT	22-102	4.6	18	0
Sept. 12, 1976	at Atlanta	28-128	4.6	16	0
Nov. 12, 1978	vs. Pittsburgh	20-106	5.3	26	0
Sept. 7, 1980	at Seattle	16-112	7.0	46	0

Single-game Highs

Yards rushing—128, at Minnesota, Sept. 19, 1976
Rushing attempts—28, at Minnesota, Sept. 19, 1976
Longest run—46, at Seattle, Sept. 7, 1980
TD rushing—2, three times, Last: vs. New York Giants, Oct. 19, 1980
Receptions—7, at Cleveland, Nov. 26, 1978
Yards receiving—68, two times, Last: at Cleveland, Nov. 26, 1978
Longest reception—37, at San Francisco, Nov. 19, 1978
TD receptions—1, four times, Last: vs. Baltimore, Oct. 18, 1981

Postseason

Yards rushing—59, at Minnesota, Dec. 26, 1976
Rushing attempts—19, at Dallas, Dec. 19, 1976
Longest run—16, at Dallas, Dec. 19, 1976
TD rushing—1, vs. Dallas, Jan. 4, 1976
Receptions—2, at Dallas, Dec. 19, 1976
Yards receiving—15, two times, Last: vs. Dallas, Jan. 7, 1979
Longest reception—15, vs. Dallas, Jan. 7, 1979



WES CHANDLER

Wide Receiver

89

5-11, 186

Florida

Fifth Year Trade (New Orleans) - '81

Fast, elusive receiver whose skills in the catch and run make him one of NFL's most dangerous weapons . . . acquired from New Orleans Sept. 30, 1981, for Chargers' first (through Green Bay) and third-round selections in 1982 draft along with wide receiver Aundra Thompson . . . quickly became an Air Coryell squadron leader, starting last 11 of 12 regular-season and both postseason games . . . caught 52 passes for 857 yards and 5 touchdowns in regular-season as Charger after catching 17 passes for 285 yards and 1 touchdown through first four weeks in New Orleans . . . season total of 69 catches was sixth among AFC receivers with 1,142 yards receiving ranking fifth in AFC . . . caught at least 2 passes in every game in 1981, including 6 each in both postseason contests . . . had most productive game as Charger Nov. 8 against Cincinnati, catching 10 passes for 194 yards and two touchdowns . . . yardage total is sixth highest in Charger history; reception total tied Chandler's career best for 1 game . . . career high is 205 yards on 6 receptions against Atlanta Sept. 2, 1979 . . . 56-yard punt return for touchdown in Miami Jan. 2, 1982, was the first punt return for a touchdown in an AFC divisional playoff . . . the punt return also was first by a Charger since Mike Fuller broke for 88 yards in New Orleans Oct. 9, 1977 . . . set Saints' single-season record with 1,069 yards in 1979 . . . caught 65 passes for 6 touchdowns in 1979 and 1980 . . . earned Pro Bowl bid following 1979 season while being named second-team all-NFC by United Press International . . . started 16 games in 1979 and 1980 . . . started 5 games in 1978, catching 35 passes for 472 yards in last 6 games . . . third player selected in 1978 collegiate draft (behind Earl Campbell and Art Still) and first wide receiver chosen (ahead of James Lofton, sixth, and John Jefferson, fourteenth).

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Wesley Sandy Chandler August 22, 1956, in New Smyrna Beach, Florida . . . attended University of Florida, where he earned all-Southeastern Conference honors in 1976 and 1977, consensus first team all-America selection in 1977, and voted Florida Amateur Athlete of the Year in 1978 . . . caught

San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium

Vote Authorization - Nov. 2, 1965 (73% "yes").

Ground Breaking - Dec. 24, 1965.

Dedication - Aug. 20, 1967 (Det. 38, San Diego 17).

Seating Capacity - 52,675 with 49,565 reserved seats and 3,110 general admission. There are 27,000 seats between the goal lines.

Seating By Levels - 8,158 field, 15,814 plaza, 11,232 loge, 2,048 press, 12,313 upper and 3,110 bleacher.

Statistics - Cost \$27 million; site area 166 acres; height to top of light ring 146 feet; parking for 17,000 cars and 250 buses; 34 concession stands, 66 restrooms, 44 ticket windows.

Stadium Authority (County of San Diego) - Gil Johnson, chairman; Tom Gade, secretary; Dr. Al Anderson; Dr. Philip del Campo; Dan Dierdorff; Karon Luce; George Mitrovich; Murray Galinson; Jean Kauth.

92 passes for 1,944 yards and 22 touchdowns as three-year starter . . . split time as running back as senior . . . rushed 61 times for 353 yards, 5.8 average, and 6 touchdowns, and caught 25 passes for 400 yards and 6 touchdowns in 1978 . . . played in Senior Bowl and caught 10 passes for 97 yards . . . has degree in speech pathology . . . competed in football, basketball, baseball, and track for New Smyrna Beach High Barracudas . . . has coached wide receivers in past 5 off-seasons at Bethune-Cookman College in Daytona Beach, Florida . . . named honorary chairman of New Orleans Recreation Department . . . resides in San Diego . . . single.

Chandler's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1978	New Orleans	16-5	35-472	13.5	2	58
1979	New Orleans	16-16	65-1069	16.4	6	85
1980	New Orleans	16-16	65-975	15.0	6	50
1981	New Orleans	4-4	17-285	16.8	1	39
1981	San Diego	12-11	52-857	16.5	5	51t
	Totals	64-52	234-3658	15.6	14	85
	Postseason	2-2	12-185	15.4	0	47

Punt Returns

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1978	34-197	5.8		0
1979	3-13	4.3		0
1980	8-36	4.5		0
1981	5-79	15.8	30	0

Kickoff Returns

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1978	32-760	23.7		0
1979	7-136	19.4		0
1980	0-0	—	—	—
1981	8-125	15.6	30	0

Chandler Game by Game, 1981

Date	Opponent	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Sept. 6	at Atlanta	8-117	14.6	0	25
Sept. 13	Los Angeles	1-23	23.0	1	23t
Sept. 20	at New York Giants	4-73	18.2	0	20
Sept. 27	at San Francisco	4-72	18.0	0	39
Oct. 4	Seattle	5-37	7.4	0	13
Oct. 11	Minnesota	4-61	15.3	0	21
Oct. 18	at Baltimore	2-38	19.0	0	19
Oct. 25	at Chicago	2-69	34.5	1	39t
Nov. 1	Kansas City	2-47	23.5	0	24
Nov. 8	Cincinnati	10-194	19.4	2	51t
*Nov. 16	at Seattle	2-48	24.0	1	26
Nov. 22	at Oakland	4-32	8.0	0	18
Nov. 29	Denver	4-111	27.8	0	44
Dec. 6	Buffalo	7-60	8.6	1	17t
Dec. 13	at Tampa Bay	8-112	14.0	0	20
*Dec. 21	Oakland	2-48	24.0	0	29

Playoffs

Jan. 2	at Miami	6-106	17.7	0	47
Jan. 10	at Cincinnati	6-79	13.2	0	25
*Monday Night					

Single-game Highs

Receptions—10, two times, Last: vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981.
Yards Receiving—205, vs. Atlanta, Sept. 2, 1979.
Longest Reception—85t, at San Francisco, Sept. 23, 1979.
TD Receptions—2, two times, Last: vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981.
Longest Kickoff Return—38, two times, Last: at New York Giants, Oct. 29, 1978.
Longest Punt Return—56t, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982.*
*AFC playoff

Postseason

Receptions—6, two times, Last: at Cincinnati, Jan. 10, 1982.
Yards Receiving—106, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982.
Longest Reception—47, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982.



SAM CLAPHAN Tackle

77

6-6, 267
Second Year
Oklahoma
Free Agent—'81

San Diego made a trade with the Cleveland Browns during the first round of the 1979 draft, sending the Chargers' twentieth and forty-seventh picks in draft

to Cleveland for the Browns' thirteenth pick . . . Chargers were able to obtain Kellen Winslow with the thirteenth choice . . . Browns' used the forty-seventh pick to draft Claphan . . . spent 1979 season on reserve with back injury . . . waived in 1980 preseason, and

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missed all of that year . . . signed by Chargers prior to 1981 mini-camp and earned a spot on roster with strong training camp performance . . . played in all 16 regular season and 2 postseason games . . . usually reported in lineup as tight end on short yardage and kicking situations.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Sam Jack Claphan Oct. 10, 1956, in Tahlequah, Oklahoma . . . two-year starter for University of Oklahoma Sooners . . . all-Big Eight as senior . . . has degree in special education . . . played football for the Stillwell Indians in Stillwell, Oklahoma . . . is half Cherokee Indian . . . married (Linda) and resides in Norman, Oklahoma.

Games-starts: 1981, 16-0.

Postseason

Games-starts: 1981, 2-0.



CHARLES DEJURNETT 73

6-4, 260

San Jose State

Sixth Year

Draft 17-'74

Broken bone in leg suffered in the 1980 divisional playoff against Buffalo Jan. 3, 1981, forced DeJurnett to sit out the 1981 season . . . valuable member of Chargers'

defensive line since 1976 . . . strong pass rusher who can swing to both end and tackle positions . . . started five games in 1980 and started the game against Buffalo when Fred Dean was slowed by a pulled groin muscle . . . has started 15 games for Chargers since 1977 . . . has outstanding sack ratio, accumulating 19½ for 170 yards in losses despite few starts . . . had 6½ sacks for 54 yards in 1980 as backup . . . signed with Chargers Jan. 17, 1976, after playing for Southern California Sun of World Football League in 1974-75 . . . originally Chargers' seventeenth-round draft choice in 1974, the 418th player selected.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Charles Ray DeJurnett June 17, 1952, in Picyun, Mississippi . . . moved to Los Angeles at age 10 and started college career at West Los Angeles Junior College in Culver City, California . . . named junior college all-America before attending San Jose State, where named all-Pacific Coast Athletic Association in 1973 . . . played fullback and defensive tackle for the Crenshaw High Cougars in Los Angeles . . . married (Alice) and has two sons, Rahsaan (Oct. 7, 1975), and Brandon (July 8, 1980) . . . resides in Tierrasanta district.

DeJurnett's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/ Losses
1976	San Diego	13-0	8-6	14	0	0-0
1977	San Diego	11-3	12-12	24	0	4-31
1978	San Diego	15-3	15-8	23	0	5-50
1979	San Diego	12-4	12-7	19	0	4-35
1980	San Diego	15-5	16-2	18	1	6½-54
1981	San Diego	Did not play; injured right leg				
	Totals	66-15	63-35	98	1	19½-170
	Postseason	2-1	0-0	0	0	0-0

Single-game Highs

Sacks—2½-22, Seattle, Dec. 13, 1980.

Tackles/Assists—7, at Detroit, Nov. 6, 1977.



FRANK DUNCAN

Safety

47

6-1, 188
Fourth Year

San Francisco State
Draft 12-'79

Began 1981 season as strong safety and started first four games . . . made game-saving interception of Gary Danielson pass on Chargers' 1-yard line with :01 left in game, helping San Diego to 28-23 win over Detroit in Week 2 . . . sprained ankle in Week 7 at Baltimore and placed on injured reserve for remainder of season Oct. 21 . . . ended season with 38 tackles, including 10 against Detroit . . . recovered one fumble . . . saw special teams action in 1980 and his 74 blocks and tackles was bettered only by Hank Bauer . . . back and ankle injuries forced Duncan to miss last 12 games of rookie season, 1979 . . . Chargers' twelfth-round choice and the 321st player selected in 1979 NFL draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Frank Milton Duncan Nov. 16, 1956, in San Francisco . . . earned Kodak All-America Division III honors after senior year at San Francisco State . . . second-team all-Far West Conference in 1977 and topped conference with 5 pass interceptions . . . led both teams in East-West Shrine game with 11 tackles and 1 interception . . . continues education in sociology at San Francisco State in off-season . . . resides in Daly City, California, where he played football and basketball for the Thomas Jefferson High Indians . . . Married (Valarie).

Duncan's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Fum. Rec.	Int.-Yds.	TD	Long
1979	San Diego	4-0	1-2	3	0	none	—	—
1980	San Diego	15-0	12-7	19	0	none	—	—
1981	San Diego	7-4	11-27	38	1	1-0	0	0
	Totals	26-4	24-36	60	1	1-0	0	0
	Postseason	2-0	0-1	1	0	none	—	—

Additional: 1980, 5 kickoff ret., 85 yds., 17.0 avg., 22 long.

Additional Postseason: 1980, 2 kickoff ret., 21 yds., 10.5 avg., 11 long.

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—1, vs. Detroit, Sept. 13, 1981.

Yards returned—0, vs. Detroit, Sept. 13, 1981.

Tackles-Assists—10, vs. Detroit, Sept. 13, 1981.



KEITH FERGUSON

Defensive End

76

6-5, 240
Second Year

Ohio State
Draft 5-'81

Quick, strong pass rusher making transition from collegiate linebacker to NFL defensive lineman . . . played in obvious passing situations at defensive end and tackle, with majority of playing time at right defensive end . . . had best game at Baltimore Oct. 18 . . . with starting tackles Louie Kelcher and Gary Johnson idled with injuries, Ferguson moved inside and scored three sacks for 37 yards in losses, made three tackles and forced one fumble . . . started in Seattle Nov. 16 for Leroy Jones, who was out with back injury . . . ended season with 39 tackles . . . active player on all special teams except field goal units . . . rated second-best special teams player behind Hank Bauer, making 32 tackles . . . delivered big block to help spring Wes Chandler on 56-yard punt return for touchdown against Miami in divisional playoff . . . fifth-round choice and 131st player in 1981 draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Keith Tyrone Ferguson April 3, 1959, in Miami, Florida . . . played football for the Miami Edison

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High Red Raiders . . . lettered three years at Ohio State . . . started at offensive tackle as sophomore, then switched to linebacker . . . sacked quarterbacks 21 times last two seasons and started 36 consecutive games, beginning with sixth game of freshman season . . . single . . . resides in Miami, Florida.

Ferguson's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/Losses
1981	San Diego	16-1	17-22	39	0	3½-37
	Postseason	2-0	1-1	2	0	0-0

Single-game Highs

Sacks—3, at Baltimore, Oct. 18, 1981.
Tackles-Assists—7, vs. Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981.



SCOTT FITZKEE

Wide Receiver

81

6-0, 187 Penn State
Fourth Year Waivers—'81

Obtained on waivers from Philadelphia Nov. 20, 1981 . . . played in last 5 regular-season games and 2 postseason games on special teams . . . sure-handed

receiver expected to profit from full training camp . . . coming off injury-plagued 1980 season in which Fitzkee twice broke a bone in his foot . . . played in three preseason games for Philadelphia in 1981 before being placed on injured reserve Aug. 25 . . . caught touchdown passes in each of first two games for Eagles in 1980 . . . suffered broken bone in foot in fourth game at St. Louis Sept. 28, 1980, and sat out next nine games . . . caught 2 passes for 19 yards against Minnesota in divisional playoff Jan. 3, 1981 . . . reinjured foot in Minnesota game . . . underwent offseason surgery in 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Scott Austin Fitzkee Aug. 4, 1957, in York, Pennsylvania . . . was captain of football, basketball, and track teams for Red Lion High Lions in Red Lion, Pennsylvania . . . starred at split end in final two seasons at Penn State . . . set Nittany Lion records for touchdown catches in career, 111, and ranked second in season receiving yardage, 630, and third in career receiving yardage, 1,263 . . . punter in final three seasons with average of 36.4 yards . . . Pennsylvania prep champion in 100-yard dash with best time of :09.6 . . . single . . . resides on Mission Beach.

Fitzkee's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1979	Philadelphia	15-1	8-105	13.1	1	19
1980	Philadelphia	7-0	6-169	28.3	2	45t
1981	San Diego	5-0	0-0	—	—	—
	Totals	27-1	14-274	19.6	3	45t
	Postseason	1-0	2-19	9.5	0	



DAN FOUTS

Quarterback

14

6-3, 204
Tenth Year

Oregon
Draft 3-'73

Fouts has put together the most awesome three-year passing performance in the history of football . . . his toughness and quick, accurate arm have elevated Fouts to a position as the most prolific passer in the NFL . . . set NFL records in 1981 in top three passing categories for second year in a row — with 609 pass attempts, 360 completions, and 4,802 yards . . . recorded 13 NFL or club record performances in 1981 . . . set club records for touchdown passes in a season (33), touchdown passes in a game (6), completions in a game (33), consecutive completions in a game (15), lowest season interception percentage (2.79), and most consecutive passes without an interception (168) . . . seven games in which Fouts threw for at least 300 yards increased his total to 25 games, tied for second all time with Sonny Jurgensen and one game behind John Unitas' 26 career 300-yard games . . . The Chargers have a 40-15 record (.727) for Fouts' last 55 regular-season starts . . . he has averaged 284.6 yards and has thrown for 96 touchdowns in his last 51 starts, during which he has completed 1,099 of 1,825 passes for 14,516 yards and a 60.2 completion percentage . . . the Chargers are 36-15 over that span . . . Fouts' 1981 honors included all-AFC first team by College and Pro football News Weekly and second team by United Press International . . . named Oregon Pro Athlete of Year by Oregon sportswriters and sportscasters, San Diego Hall of Champions Co-Professional Star of Year with Kellen Winslow, and Chargers' most valuable player as selected by teammates . . . named to AFC Pro Bowl squad for third year in a row . . . ranks sixth among active players and twenty-first all time with 24,256 yards passing . . . ahead actively are Jim Hart (33,849), Craig Morton (27,715), Terry Bradshaw (26,149), Ken Anderson (25,562), and Ken Stabler (24,268) . . . ranks sixth among active players with 145 touchdown passes . . . ahead are Hart (204), Bradshaw (193), Morton (183), Stabler (177), and Ken Anderson (160) . . . moved from fourteenth to eighth among all-time quarterbacks in 1981 by improving his pass rating to 78.4 . . . Fouts' 90.6 rating in 1981 was a career high, second in the AFC, third in NFL . . . career total of 3,203 attempts ranks twenty-first among all-time passers . . . came to Chargers in 1973 as third-round draft choice, the sixty-fourth player in the draft, and the sixth quarterback (behind Bert Jones, Gary Huff, Ron Jaworski, Gary Keithley, and Joe Ferguson, in that order) . . . has overcome early career rap of frailty by starting last 56 games, including postseason, and by playing in 86 of possible 87 games since end of 1975 season . . . holds Chargers record with touchdown passes in 20 consecutive regular season games, 1979-80.

1973 Fouts made professional debut in fourth game of season at Pittsburgh . . . Chargers trailed 38-0 at halftime but Fouts entered game at beginning of third quarter and completed 11 of 21 passes for 174 yards and 1 touchdown and marshaled 2 other scoring drives in 38-21 defeat.

1974 The Chargers, pregame underdogs by 17½ points, trailed 17-13 in the fourth quarter with third down and 10 yards to go on their two-yard line . . . Fouts then marched San Diego 98 yards to a touchdown for a 20-17 victory that snapped the Cincinnati Bengals' Riverfront Stadium unbeaten streak of 15 games . . . Fouts threw for 4 touchdown and 333 yards (270 in the second half) and rallied the Chargers from second-half deficits of 21-7, 28-19, and 35-26 to a 36-35 victory over Cleveland.

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1975 Fouts scored the victory-clinching touchdown on a one-yard run as the Chargers defeated Kansas city 28-20 to end and 11-game losing streak known as "The Bataan Death March."

1976 Fouts completed 15 of 18 passes for 259 yards and 4 touchdowns as the Chargers defeated favored St. Louis 43-24 to start the season with a 3-0 record . . . Fouts completed 19 of 24 passes for 279 yards (171 in the fourth quarter) and 2 touchdowns as the Chargers came from behind to beat Houston 30-27 in San Diego Stadium.

1977 Fouts did not report to the Chargers until the eleventh week of the regular season but the long layoff did not prevent him from leading a 30-28 victory at Seattle in his first appearance . . . he completed 19 of 26 passes for 199 yards and 1 touchdown and directed a 14-play, 58-yard drive that consumed the final 6:55 of play.

1978 Fouts set a Chargers record by completing 22 of 30 passes for 73.3 per cent and 313 yards in a 28-21 loss to Miami in San Diego . . . Fouts threw for touchdowns in 11 consecutive games and was the winning quarterback in his last 7 starts . . . an injured right ankle idled Fouts at Kansas City in a game the Chargers lost 23-0 . . . Fouts began his long string of passing excellence by completing 59 of 97 passes for 917 yards and 9 touchdowns in the final three games . . . Fouts tied a personal best with 4 touchdown passes at Houston in the final game of the season and tied the club record of 369 yards passing as the Chargers defeated the playoff-bound Oilers 45-24.

1979 Fouts began an NFL-record streak of 4 consecutive games in which he threw for 300 yards with 305 yards in a 7-0 loss at Denver . . . Fouts passed for 318 yards against Seattle the following week, setting a club record by completing 28 of 35 passes (80.0), and topping the 20-10 triumph with a 49-yard strike to John Jefferson for the clinching touchdown in fourth quarter . . . Fouts's 326 yards the next week helped beat Los Angeles 40-16, and he completed his streak with 303 yards in a 45-22 loss at Oakland . . . Fouts overcame four interceptions and brought the Chargers from the brink of defeat at Cincinnati with a 295-yard performance . . . the Chargers trailed 24-16 with 3:13 remaining; Fouts hit Artie Owens for a 32-yard touchdown, and connected with Charlie Joiner for a 31-yard gain on fourth and 18 that positioned the Chargers for Mike Wood's game-winning field goal . . . Fouts's 32-yard touchdown pass to Joiner sealed a 17-7 victory over Denver that clinched San Diego's first AFC West title since 1965 . . . Fouts set 2 NFL records that would be broken the following year: 4,082 yards passing and 6 games of 300 yards passing . . . he also led the NFL by completing 62.6 percent of his passes.

1980 Fouts threw for 4 touchdowns as the Chargers won at Seattle 34-13 in the season opener . . . Fouts broke the Chargers' single-game record for passing yards with 387 and his 24-yard touchdown pass to John Jefferson at 8:09 of overtime defeated Oakland 30-24 . . . Fouts broke the single-game record for passing yards for the third time in the season with 444 yards in a 44-7 rout of the New York Giants . . . Fouts completed 20 of 28 passes for 342 yards and 2 touchdowns as the Chargers beat Philadelphia 22-21, snapping the Super Bowl-bound Eagles' eight-game winning streak . . . Fouts threw for 308 yards and directed a 488-yard offensive thrust as San Diego claimed its second straight AFC West title with a 26-17 victory over Pittsburgh . . . Fouts and Ron Smith collaborated on 50-yard touchdown pass with 2:08 remaining that brought the Chargers from behind to a 20-14 victory over Buffalo in the AFC playoffs.

1981 Fouts opened the season by leading the Chargers to a 44-14 win over defending AFC Central Division Champion Browns in Cleveland . . . he set a Chargers record with 15 consecutive completions in the game, breaking record of 13 set by John Hadl at Houston Oct. 25, 1964 . . . versus Detroit the following week, Fouts became the twenty-ninth passer and seventh active NFL player to pass for more than 20,000 yards in a career . . . Fouts established team record for completions in a game with 30 against Seattle in Week 5 . . . Chicago's Reuben Henderson picked off a Fouts pass in overtime in Week 8, breaking a string of 168 consecutive passes without an interception; the club record covered five games . . . 352 yards versus Cincinnati in Week 10 . . . set a team record with six touchdown passes in 55-21 victory over defending Super Bowl Champion Oakland . . . Fouts broke his team record with 33 completions at Tampa Bay and his 351 yards marked the 25th time in Fout's career that he has thrown for 300-plus yards . . . Fouts' 33-53-433 passing performance in 41-38 overtime win at Miami resulted in records for completions, attempts, and yards in a divisional playoff.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Daniel Francis Fouts June 10, 1951 in San Francisco . . . set 19 University of Oregon offense records . . . had three-year totals of 5,995 yards and 37 touchdown passes . . . all-Pacific Coast and all-Pacific 8 Conference in 1972 . . . named Oregon's most valuable player as senior and played in the East-West Shrine game and Senior Bowl . . . grew up in San Francisco Bay area and played football for the St. Ignatius High Wildcats . . . his father, Bob, was the play-by-play caller of the 49ers games and Dan was a ball boy . . . father is a broadcaster for the American Broadcasting Company in San Francisco . . . resides in Indian Ford, Oregon . . . "Indian Ford is outside of Sisters, which is outside of Bend," says Fouts . . . married (Julianne) with a son Dominic (July 16, 1978), and daughter Suzanne (Dec. 1, 1979).

Fouts' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Long	Int.	Pass Rating
1973	San Diego	10-6	194-87	1126	44.8	6	69t	13	46.0
1974	San Diego	11-11	237-115	1732	48.5	8	75t	13	61.4
1975	San Diego	10-9	195-106	1396	54.4	2	57	10	59.3
1976	San Diego	14-13	359-208	2535	57.9	14	81t	15	75.3
1977	San Diego	4-4	109-69	869	63.3	4	67t	6	77.3
1978	San Diego	15-14	381-224	2999	58.8	24	55t	20	83.2
1979	San Diego	16-16	530-332	4082	62.6	24	65t	24	82.6
1980	San Diego	16-16	589-348	4715	59.1	30	65	24	84.6
1981	San Diego	16-16	609-360	4802	59.1	33	67t	17	90.6
Totals		112-105	3203-1849	24256	57.7	145	81t	142	78.4

Postseason

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Long	Int.	Pass Rating
1979	San Diego	1-1	47-25	333	53.2	0	34	5	36.4
1980	San Diego	2-2	82-44	650	53.7	4	55	3	80.8
1981	San Diego	2-2	81-48	618	59.3	4	47	3	84.2
Totals		5-5	210-117	1601	55.7	8	55	11	77.1

Rushing

Year	Team	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	Sacks/Losses
1973	San Diego	7-32	4.6	0	16	14/129
1974	San Diego	19-63	3.3	1	16	12/99
1975	San Diego	23-170	7.4	2	32	25/197
1976	San Diego	18-65	3.6	0	13	39/220
1977	San Diego	6-13	2.2	0	11	10/77
1978	San Diego	20-43	2.2	2	22	22/130
1979	San Diego	26-49	1.9	2	26	28/195
1980	San Diego	23-15	0.7	2	9	32/210
1981	San Diego	22-56	2.5	0	13	19/134
Totals		164-506	3.1	9	32	201/1391

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300 Yards Passing

Date	Opponent	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Long	Int.
Nov. 3, 1974	vs. Cleveland	21-12	333	.571	4	75t	1
Nov. 9, 1975	vs. New England	42-25	329	.595	1	52	2
Oct. 15, 1978	vs. Miami	30-22	313	.733	1	46	2
Dec. 17, 1978	at Houston	40-21	369	.525	4	37t	2
Oct. 7, 1979	at Denver	45-27	305	.600	0	39	3
Oct. 14, 1979	vs. Seattle	35-28	318	.800	3	49t	0
Oct. 21, 1979	at Los Angeles	32-17	326	.531	2	65t	2
Oct. 25, 1979	at Oakland	37-21	303	.568	2	57t	2
Nov. 25, 1979	vs. Kansas City	43-27	350	.628	3	42t	1
Dec. 2, 1979	vs. Atlanta	38-28	338	.737	1	43	1
Sept. 14, 1980	vs. Oakland, OT	44-29	387	.659	3	28	5
Oct. 12, 1980	at Oakland	39-23	388	.590	1	23	2
Oct. 19, 1980	vs. N.Y. Giants	41-26	444	.634	3	41	1
Oct. 25, 1980	at Dallas	44-21	371	.477	3	65	4
Nov. 9, 1980	vs. Denver	45-29	363	.644	1	36	4
Nov. 30, 1980	vs. Philadelphia	20-29	342	.714	2	51	1
Dec. 13, 1980	vs. Seattle	42-28	339	.667	1	29	2
Dec. 22, 1980	vs. Pittsburgh	37-21	308	.568	0	59	0
Sept. 7, 1981	at Cleveland	25-19	330	.760	3	57	0
Sept. 13, 1981	vs. Detroit	25-18	316	.720	1	49	1
Oct. 4, 1981	vs. Seattle	41-30	302	.732	3	15	0
Oct. 11, 1981	vs. Minnesota	38-20	310	.526	2	60t	0
Nov. 8, 1981	vs. Cincinnati	40-20	352	.500	2	56	2
Dec. 6, 1981	vs. Buffalo	42-28	343	.667	2	67t	1
Dec. 13, 1981	at Tampa Bay	49-33	351	.673	1	27t	1

Postseason

Date	Opponent	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Long	Int.
Dec. 29, 1979	vs. Houston	47-25	333	.532	0	34	5
Jan. 3, 1981	vs. Buffalo	37-22	314	.595	2	50t	2
Jan. 11, 1981	vs. Oakland	45-22	336	.489	2	55	1
Jan. 2, 1982	at Miami, OT	53-33	433	.623	3	47	1

Fouts Game by Game in 1981

Date	Opponent	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	TD	Long	Int.
*Sept. 7	at Cleveland	25-19	330	3	57	0
Sept. 13	Detroit	25-18	316	1	49	1
Sept. 20	at Kansas City	43-22	284	3	32	3
Sept. 27	at Denver	47-26	298	2	39t	3
Oct. 4	Seattle	41-30	302	3	15	0
Oct. 11	Minnesota	38-20	310	2	60t	0
Oct. 18	at Baltimore	43-26	298	3	28	0
Oct. 25	at Chicago	43-13	295	2	45	2
Nov. 1	Kansas City	39-24	297	0	31	1
Nov. 8	Cincinnati	40-20	352	2	56	2
*Nov. 16	at Seattle	34-20	252	1	31	1
Nov. 22	at Oakland	44-28	296	6	29t	1
Nov. 29	Denver	29-19	256	1	44	0
Dec. 6	Buffalo	42-28	343	2	67t	1
Dec. 13	at Tampa Bay	49-33	351	1	27t	1
*Dec. 21	Oakland	27-14	222	1	32	0

Playoffs

Jan. 2	at Miami	53-33	433	3	47	1
Jan. 10	at Cincinnati	28-15	185	1	33t	2

*Monday night

Fouts' Record by Opponents

Team	G-S	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	LG	Int.
Atlanta	2-2	74-41	437	.554	1	43	5
Baltimore	2-2	68-40	469	.588	3	28	0
*Buffalo	5-5	156-97	1177	.622	8	67t	6
Chicago	2-2	67-29	564	.433	4	46	4
*Cincinnati	6-6	198-104	1437	.525	9	56	8
Cleveland	5-5	117-76	1270	.649	12	75t	3
Dallas	1-1	44-21	371	.477	3	65	4
Denver	14-14	457-260	3241	.569	10	64t	28
Detroit	2-2	39-23	434	.589	2	55t	4
Green Bay	2-1	17-7	71	.412	0	17	3
*Houston	5-5	155-88	1319	.568	7	81t	9
Kansas City	15-15	423-234	2859	.553	17	49	19
Los Angeles	2-2	58-34	506	.586	2	65t	2
*Miami	4-4	146-94	1165	.644	8	47	3
Minnesota	2-2	57-29	441	.509	3	60t	2
New England	4-3	101-64	732	.634	5	52	6
New Orleans	2-1	27-18	254	.667	0	26t	1
New York Giants	2-2	66-39	623	.591	4	41	2
New York Jets	1-1	11-6	86	.545	0	33	0
*Oakland	16-15	473-245	3352	.518	22	57t	20
Philadelphia	2-2	60-33	476	.550	3	51	3
Pittsburgh	6-4	145-71	934	.489	3	59	11
San Francisco	2-1	48-35	350	.729	2	30	1
St. Louis	1-1	18-15	259	.833	4	59	0
Seattle	9-9	294-203	2329	.690	18	55t	7
Tampa Bay	2-2	70-47	505	.671	1	27t	1
Washington	1-1	25-13	200	.520	1	42	4
*Totals	117-110	3414-1966	25861	.576	152	81t	156

*Includes playoff games

Pass Attempts—49, at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981
 Completions—33, at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981
 Yards Passing—444 vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980
 Highest Percentage—.800 (28x35), vs. Seattle, Oct. 14, 1979
 Longest Completion—611 (to Charlie Joiner), vs. Houston, Oct. 17, 1976
 TD Passes—6, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
 Interceptions—5, two times, Last: vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980
 Times Sacked—8, vs. Houston, Oct. 17, 1976
 Rushing Attempts—7, vs. Cleveland, Nov. 3, 1974
 Yards Rushing—42, vs. Atlanta, Dec. 2, 1979
 Longest Run—32, vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1979
 TD Rushes—1, 9 times, Last: vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980

Pass Attempts—53, at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982
 Completions—33, at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982
 Yards Passing—433, at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982
 Highest Percentage—62.3, (33x53), at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982
 Longest Completion—55 (to Ron Smith), vs. Oakland, Jan. 11, 1981
 TD Passes—3, at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982
 Interceptions—5, vs. Houston, Dec. 29, 1979
 Times Sacked—2, five times, Last: at Cincinnati, Jan. 10, 1982
 Rushing Attempts—2, two times, Last: at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982
 Yards Rushing—10, at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982
 Longest Run—8, at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982



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Acquired April 27, 1982, on first day of NFL collegiate draft in trade with New England Patriots; trade culminated sending Chargers' second round choice

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Timothy Richard Fox Nov. 1, 1953, in Canton, Ohio . . . four-year starter under Woody Hayes at Ohio State . . . played in 43 of 46 games in four years . . . played in four Rose Bowl games in his career and the Japan Bowl following his senior year . . . consensus all-America selection and led Big Ten during senior year in punt returns (22 for 11.6 average, 1 TD) and ranked twelfth nationally . . . co-captain of unbeaten (11-0) squad in 1975 . . . academic all-conference as a communications major . . . played football for the Canton Glenwood High Eagles in Canton, Ohio . . . avid water and snow skier . . . mar-

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ried (Debbie) with two daughters, Landin (July 25, 1977) and Haley (Sept. 30, 1980) . . . resides in Foxboro, Massachusetts.

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Assst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1976	New England	13-13	52-27	79	4	3-67	29	0
1977	New England	14-14		54	1	3-39	27	0
1978	New England	16-16		68	1	2-10	10	0
1979	New England	16-16		70	1	2-38	25	0
1980	New England	16-16	44-12	56	0	4-41	23	0
1981	New England	16-16	103-74	177	0	3-20	20	0
Total		91-91		504	7	17-215	29	0
Postseason		2-2				2-0		

Additional: 1978: 1 sack; 1 safety; 1979: 1 sack.

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—2, 10/15/78 at Cincinnati
Yards returned—29, 11/7/76 vs. Buffalo
Longest return—29, 11/7/76 vs. Buffalo
Tackles/Assists—8/12-20, 9/13/81 at Philadelphia



BOB GREGOR

Free Safety

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6-2, 187 Washington State
Second Year Draft 4B—'80

Earned starting free safety spot in 1981 preseason after sitting out rookie season with shoulder and ankle injuries . . . tall, rangy athlete with good perception of

position and a free-wheeling tackler . . . started first six games of season, after which he was team's second-leading tackler with a total of 55 . . . also had two interceptions . . . slowed last 10 games by pinched nerve in neck . . . finished as team's eighth-ranked tackler with 84 . . . second player chosen by Chargers in fourth round of 1980 draft . . . 108th player selected.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Robert Lee Gregor Feb. 10, 1957, in Riverside, California . . . played football for the Monte Vista High Mustangs in Danville, California . . . played four seasons at Washington State at cornerback and safety . . . co-captain of 1979 squad . . . played in East-West Shrine game following 1979 season . . . member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes . . . has degree in business . . . single . . . resides on Mission Beach.

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Assst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1981	San Diego	14-6	45-39	84	2	2-11	11	0
Totals		14-6	45-39	84	2	2-11	11	0
Postseason		2-0	1-0	1	0	0-0	—	—

Additional: 1981, 3 kickoff ret., 47 yds., 15.7 avg., 20 long.

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—1, (two times, last) at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981
Yards returned—11, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981
Longest return—11, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981
Tackles/Assists—13, at Denver, Sept. 27, 1981

Warmest Games

Date	Team	W-L	Score	Temperature—conditions
Sun. Sept. 24, 1978	Green Bay	L	3-24	102°, sunny
Fri. Aug. 6, 1976*	New England	W	26-17	98°, sunny
Sun. Sept. 16, 1979	Buffalo	W	27-19	97°, sunny
Sun. Oct. 4, 1970	at Los Angeles	L	10-37	97°, hazy
Sat. Aug. 6, 1977*	at Dallas	L	34-14	96°, cloudy
Sun. Sept. 10, 1961	at Dallas	W	26-10	94°, cloudy
Sun. Aug. 15, 1965*	at Kansas City	W	31-10	94°, sunny
Sun. Aug. 6, 1961*	Houston	W	27-14	93°, sunny
Sun. Sept. 18, 1960	at Houston	L	28-38	90°, cloudy
Sat. Aug. 26, 1972*	at New Orleans	W	16-14	89°, rainy
Sun. Sept. 27, 1970	Oakland	T	27-27	89°, smoky

*Preseason



JAMES HARRIS

Quarterback

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6-3½, 221

Grambling

Thirteenth YearTrade (Los Angeles)—'77

Experienced and capable as starter or

backup . . . sixth year with San Diego . . .

came to Chargers June 14, 1977, from

Los Angeles for 1979 fourth-round draft

choice . . . completed 14 of 20 passes for 200 yards and 2

touchdowns against Cincinnati Oct. 3, 1977, on most productive

day as Charger . . . top day as professional came with Los Angeles

against Miami Oct. 3, 1976, when Harris completed 17 of 29 passes

for 436 yards and 2 touchdowns . . . 89.8 pass rating led NFL

in 1976 . . . Buffalo Bills' eighth-round draft choice, 1969 . . . released

by Buffalo Sept. 21, 1972, and signed 1973 contract with Los

Angeles Nov. 6, 1972 . . . player of game after leading NFC to

14-13 victory in AFC-NFC Pro Bowl following 1974 season.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born James Larnell Harris July 20, 1947,

in Monroe, Louisiana . . . quarterbacked Grambling to Southwest-

ern Athletic Conference championships in 1967 and 1968 . . . most

valuable player in 1967 Orange Blossom Classic . . . played foot-

ball for the Henry Carroll High Bulldogs in Monroe . . . toured U.S.

military bases in Far East as part of NFL/USO-sponsored trip after

the 1975 season . . . resides in Ladera Heights section of Los

Angeles . . . single.

Harris' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Att -Comp	Yds.	Pct	TD	Long	Int.	Pass Rating
1969	Buffalo	4-1	36-15	270	41.7	1	55	1	65.8
1970	Buffalo	7-0	50-24	338	48.0	3	32	4	56.9
1971	Buffalo	7-2	103-51	512	49.5	1	62	6	43.2
1973	Los Angeles	7-0	11-7	68	63.6	0	27	0	80.8
1974	Los Angeles	11-8	198-106	1544	53.5	11	50t	6	85.3
1975	Los Angeles	13-13	285-157	2148	55.1	14	54t	15	73.7
1976	Los Angeles	7-5	158-91	1460	57.6	8	80t	6	89.8
1977	San Diego	9-9	211-109	1240	51.7	5	78	11	56.0
1978	San Diego	9-2	88-42	518	47.7	2	34t	9	34.5
1979	San Diego	8-0	9-5	38	55.6	0	10	1	26.4
1980	San Diego	0-0	None						
1981	San Diego	0-0	None						
Totals		82-40	1149-607	8136	52.8	45	80t	59	67.3
Postseason		3-3	49-21	343	42.9	2	44t	0	

Additional: 1974, 9 rushing attempts, 34 yards, 3.8 average, 8 long

Single-game Highs

Pass Attempts—41, at Kansas City, Nov. 26, 1978

Completions—24, vs. Minnesota, Nov. 24, 1974

Yards Passing—436, at Miami, Oct. 3, 1976

Highest Percentage—.800 (12x15), vs. San Francisco, Oct. 20, 1974

Longest Completion—80t (to Dwight Scales), vs. Atlanta, Dec. 4, 1976

TD Passes—3, three times, Last: vs. Detroit, Nov. 27, 1975

Interceptions—5, at Kansas City, Nov. 26, 1978

Times Sacked—10 vs. San Francisco, Oct. 11, 1976

Rushing Attempts—9, vs. San Francisco, Oct. 20, 1974

Yards Rushing—46, at N.Y. Jets, Oct. 27, 1974

Longest Run—20, at Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1976

TD Rushing—2, vs. Minnesota, Nov. 24, 1974

Postseason

Pass Attempts—24, vs. Washington, Dec. 22, 1974

Completions—13, at Minnesota, Dec. 29, 1974

Yards Passing—248, at Minnesota, Dec. 29, 1974

Highest Percentage—.565 (13x23), at Minnesota, Dec. 29, 1974



WYATT HENDERSON 32

Cornerback

5-10, 180 Fresno State
Second Year Free Agent—81

Wide receiver-turned-cornerback who bid strongly in 1981 training camp . . . signed as free agent cornerback after playing wide receiver in college and during 1980 trial with Los Angeles Rams . . . made 13 tackles, recovered one fumble, returned an interception 34 yards for a touchdown during preseason, and even appeared briefly as a wide receiver . . . played in 15 of 16 regular season games, missing regular-season finale against Oakland with ankle injury suffered at Tampa Bay Dec. 13 . . . made 43 tackles (29 unassisted) . . . one of the recoveries was against Kansas City Nov. 1 with :30 left in first half and set up a Rolf Benirschke field goal giving Chargers 19-7 lead . . . San Diego won 22-20 . . . placed on injured reserve with recurrence of ankle injury Dec. 31.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Wyatt Monroe Henderson Nov. 10, 1956, in Bakersfield, California . . . played football for Fairfax High Lions in Los Angeles . . . played two seasons at Fresno State . . . earned all-Metropolitan conference honors in junior college . . . married (Jeannie) with daughter, Melissa Amani (April 6, 1982) . . . resides in San Diego.

Henderson's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.
1981	San Diego	15-0	29-14	43	3
	Totals	15-0	29-14	43	3

Additional: 1981, 1 kickoff ret., 26 yds.

Single-game Highs

Tackles/Assists—5, at Denver, Sept. 27, 1981.



PETE HOLOHAN 88

Tight End

6-4, 226 Notre Dame
Second Year Draft 7—'81

Sure-handed receiver who has size, speed, and toughness . . . earned spot on 45-man roster with fine preseason, catching 8 passes for 127 yards . . . played in first 7 games, catching one pass for 14 yards in Week 7 at Baltimore . . . made 13 tackles on special teams . . . left squad after Week 7 . . . chosen in seventh round of 1981 draft . . . 189th player selected.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Peter Joseph Holohan July 25, 1959, in Albany, New York . . . recruited as quarterback out of high school and switched to flanker as sophomore at Notre Dame . . . started every game beginning with sophomore season, catching 63 passes for 15.6-yard average and 2 touchdowns . . . played in East-West Shrine game and Japan Bowl after senior season . . . played football and basketball for Liverpool High Warriors in Liverpool, N.Y. . . . first New York prep athlete ever named all-state in football and basketball . . . single . . . lives in Liverpool, N.Y.

Holohan's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1981	San Diego	7-0	1-14	14.0	0	14
	Totals	7-0	1-14	14.0	0	14



GARY JOHNSON

Defensive Tackle

79

6-3, 252
Eighth Year

Grambling
Draft 1A-'75

Chargers' unofficial all-time sack leader with 60½ for 555 yards in losses . . . club leader in 1981 with 10 sacks for 69 yards . . . set Chargers record and led NFL with 17½ sacks in 1980 . . . gained all-pro status in 1981 for second year in row . . . earned all-NFL honors from Associated Press and Professional Football Writers of America . . . Johnson's dominance at his position has earned him berths on AFC Pro Bowl squad after each of last three seasons . . . starter in Pro Bowl last two years . . . had biggest game in 1981 against Oakland Nov. 22 when Johnson tied his personal best with 4 sacks for 28 yards in losses . . . had 4 sacks for 31 yards against Denver Sept. 21, 1980 . . . fifth on squad with 106 tackles in 1981 . . . started every regular- and post-season game despite being hampered by injuries . . . forced two fumbles and recovered one, both fumbles leading to Chargers touchdowns in 22-20 victory over Kansas City Nov. 1 . . . scored second touchdown of career in Kansas City Sept. 20 when he took lateral from Leroy Jones and rumbled 5 yards with 1:53 left in game to secure 42-31 victory . . . forced a Billy Sims' fumble with 11:38 left in final period, positioning Chargers for a go-ahead touchdown against Detroit Sept. 13 . . . intercepted second pass of career and returned ball 36 yards against Minnesota Oct. 11 . . . NFL and AFC defensive lineman of year in 1980 as chosen by NFL Players' Association . . . Chargers' most valuable lineman the same year . . . started 88 of last 91 games and has missed only one game since joining Chargers in 1975 . . . missed game against Chicago Dec. 4, 1978, with ankle injury . . . Chargers' first choice in watershed draft of 1975 . . . eighth player chosen overall, and second defensive lineman selected (Cleveland made Mack Mitchell, defensive end from Houston, the fifth pick) . . . became starter in second quarter of seventh game of 1975 season, replacing injured John Teerlink at Oakland.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Gary Lynn Johnson Aug. 31, 1952, in Shreveport, Louisiana . . . attended college at Grambling University and lettered four seasons . . . all-America his senior year and named outstanding lineman in East-West Shrine game and Senior Bowl after 1974 season . . . selected to play for College All-Stars in Chicago All-Star game in 1975 but withdrew because of illness . . . grew up in Bossier City, Louisiana, and played football for the Charlotte Mitchell High Grizzly Bears . . . acquired nickname "Big Hands" in eighth grade when Johnson reached for a basketball in physical education class and instructor said, "Keep your big hands off my basketball!" . . . wife's name is Alice (Little Hands) . . . they have one son, Gary Lynn II (Tiny Hands), born June 2, 1977 . . . the Johnsons live in Rancho Penasquitos.

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/ Losses
1975	San Diego	14-8	39-20	59	1	3½-45
1976	San Diego	14-14	48-19	67	0	1½-16
1977	San Diego	14-14	34-27	61	1	13½-129
1978	San Diego	15-14	39-16	55	0	8½-92
1979	San Diego	16-15	47-28	75	2	6-53
1980	San Diego	16-15	28-24	52	3	17½-151
1981	San Diego	16-16	65-41	106	1	10-69
	Totals	105-96	300-175	475	8	60½-554
	Postseason	4-4	18-16	34	0	4-42

Single-game Highs

Sacks—4, two times, Last: at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
Tackles/Assists—10, two times, Last: vs. Houston*, Dec. 29, 1979
Interceptions—1, two times, Last: vs. Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981
Yards Intercepted—55, at Seattle, Sept. 3, 1978
Longest return—55t, at Seattle, Sept. 3, 1978
TD interceptions—1, two times, Last: at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981 (5 lateral from Leroy Jones)
*AFC playoff



CHARLIE JOINER

Wide Receiver

18

5-11, 183

Grambling

Fourteenth Year Trade (Cincinnati) — '76

Quiet leadership by example has made this quintessential professional one of the most respected men in the National Football League . . . Joiner's endurance is out-

shined only by his success in the golden years of his career . . . caught 70 passes for 1,188 yards in 1981, the third year in a row Joiner has caught 70 balls or more . . . enters his fourteenth year in the NFL at age 34 with 213 receptions in the last three years, more than any NFL receiver in that time span . . . Ahmad Rashad and Steve Largent each has caught 207 passes since 1979, Kellen Winslow 202, and Wes Chandler has 199 over the past three seasons . . . career total of 495 receptions ranks eleventh on all-time list, tied with Tommy McDonald . . . Joiner ranks third among active players behind Harold Jackson (571) and Harold Carmichael (516) . . . 1,188 yards receiving led the Chargers and was Joiner's third year in a row and fourth time in his career with more than 1,000 yards receiving . . . combined with Wes Chandler's 1,142 yards and Kellen Winslow's 1,075 yards to become the second trio of NFL players on the same team to gain at least 1,000 yards in a season . . . Joiner (1,132 yards), Winslow (1,290 yards), and John Jefferson (1,340 yards), teamed for the first trio of 1,000-yard receivers in 1980 . . . selected Chargers' most inspirational player in 1981 by vote of his teammates . . . has 331 career receptions as Charger ranking third in the Chargers' all-time list . . . Lance Alworth had 493 catches and Gary Garrison 404 . . . has caught a pass in 50 consecutive regular-season games and 2 passes in last 41 regular and postseason games . . . Joiner has played in 91 consecutive games since coming to San Diego in a trade with Cincinnati for defensive end Coy Bacon April 2, 1976, in one of the most profitable trades in Chargers history . . . named all-Pro in 1980 by Associated Press and all-AFC second team by United Press International . . . shared Chargers' most-inspirational-player award with Glen Edwards and Rolf Benirschke in 1980 . . . selected as defensive back in fourth round of 1969 NFL draft by Houston . . . sustained broken right arm and missed last 7 games of rookie season, then reinjured arm and missed first 5 games of 1970 campaign . . . traded with linebacker Ron Pritchard to Cincinnati for running backs Fred Willis and Paul Robinson Oct. 24, 1972 . . . missed nine games in 1973 with collarbone injury.

1976 Joiner's fourth successive game in which he gained at least 100 yards receiving was against Houston . . . he amassed 106 yards on 2 receptions, including an 81 yard touchdown that helped the Chargers win 30-27 . . . Joiner was named to the AFC Pro Bowl squad and caught a 14-yard touchdown pass from Ken Anderson of Cincinnati for the winning score in the AFC's 24-14 victory over the NFC in Seattle.

1977 Joiner caught 2 touchdown passes with brilliant catches in his first appearance against former Cincinnati teammates as the Chargers scored a 24-3 victory.

1979 Joiner caught 63 passes in the last 11 regular season games, including 9 each in two games, and 7 for 168 yards in the Chargers' 40-16 rout of Los Angeles . . . Joiner went to the dressing room two times for injuries but got off the floor and caught a 32-yard touchdown pass from Dan Fouts that assured a 17-7 victory over Denver for the Chargers' first AFC West division championship since 1965.

1980 Had career high 10 catches for 171 yards and 1 touchdown in 44-7 rout of the New York Giants . . . Joiner never was better than in AFC playoffs, catching 4 passes for 83 yards and 1 touchdown in the 20-14 victory over Buffalo and 6 for 130 and 2 touchdowns in the 34-27 loss to Oakland.

1981 Caught passes for more than 100 yards on 5 occasions during season, including 6 catches for 106 yards in Chargers' playoff victory over Miami . . . opened season with 6 catches for 191 yards in Cleveland, the single-game high for receiving yardage in a Chargers' uniform . . . caught 7 balls for 166 yards the following week, the fifth highest career total.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Charlie Joiner, Jr., Oct. 14, 1947, in Many, Louisiana, and grew up in Lake Charles, Louisiana . . . won four varsity letters and was receiving connection with James Harris during four seasons at Grambling University in Louisiana . . . all-Southwestern Athletic Conference in 1968 . . . attended high school in Lake Charles and played football for the W.O. Boston Panthers . . . has worked as a management trainee in Gulf Oil's accounting department in Houston since 1971 . . . Chargers' NFL man-of-the-year candidate and one of five finalists in the NFL in 1980 . . . four \$500 college scholarships in Joiner's name went to academically-oriented, San Diego-area students whose interests were toward accounting, Joiner's off-season profession . . . honored in a testimonial in Lake Charles on "Charlie Joiner Day"

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Sam Stone

Joiner's 213 receptions topped NFL for last three years.

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May 15, 1982 . . . resides in Houston with his wife, Dianne, and their two daughters, Jynaya (June 11, 1975) and Kori (Oct. 29, 1976).

Joiner's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
1969	Houston	7-0	7-77	11.0	0	21
1970	Houston	9-8	28-416	14.9	3	87t
1971	Houston	14-13	31-681	22.0	7	55
1972	Houston-Cincinnati	12-9	24-439	18.3	2	82
1973	Cincinnati	5-4	13-214	16.5	0	26
1974	Cincinnati	14-12	24-390	16.3	1	55
1975	Cincinnati	14-11	37-726	19.6	5	51
1976	San Diego	14-14	50-1058	21.1	7	81t
1977	San Diego	14-14	35-642	15.5	6	32t
1978	San Diego	16-15	33-607	18.4	1	46
1979	San Diego	16-16	72-1008	14.0	4	39
1980	San Diego	16-16	71-1132	15.9	4	51
1981	San Diego	16-16	70-1188	17.0	7	57
Totals		167-148	495-8476	17.1	47	87t

Additional: 1969, 3 kickoff returns, 73 yards, 24.3 average, 28 long; 1971, 1 kickoff return, 25 yards; 1972, 5 kickoff returns, 88 yards, 17.6 average, 25 long, 3 rushing attempts, 14 yards, 4.7 average, 9 long; 1974, 4 rushing attempts, 20 yards, 5.0 average, 8 long; 1975, 1 recovered fumble; 1977, 1 kickoff return, 8 yards; 1979, 1 rushing attempt, -12 yards.

Postseason

Date	Opponent	G-S	No.-Yds	Avg.	TD	Long
Dec. 23, 1973	at Miami	1-1	2-33	16.5	0	18
Dec. 28, 1975	at Oakland	1-1	3-60	20.0	1	28t
Dec. 29, 1979	Houston	1-1	4-81	20.3	0	30
Jan. 3, 1981	Buffalo	1-1	4-83	20.8	1	45
Jan. 11, 1981	Oakland	1-1	6-130	21.7	2	48t
Jan. 2, 1982	at Miami	1-1	7-108	15.4	0	39
Jan. 10, 1982	at Cincinnati	1-1	3-41	13.7	0	21
Totals		7-7	29-536	18.5	4	48t

100 Yards Receiving

Date	Opponent	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Oct. 25, 1970	at San Diego	5-100	20.0	1	46t
Dec. 13, 1970	vs. Cincinnati	6-143	23.8	2	87t
Nov. 2, 1975	vs. Pittsburgh	5-114	22.8	1	34t
Nov. 23, 1975	at Cleveland	7-200	28.6	0	51
Sept. 26, 1976	vs. St. Louis	5-134	26.8	1	59
Oct. 3, 1976	at Denver	5-105	21.0	0	42
Oct. 10, 1976	vs. Oakland	5-108	21.6	0	36
Oct. 17, 1976	vs. Houston	2-106	53.0	1	81t
Oct. 22, 1976	at Detroit	5-110	22.0	1	31
Oct. 7, 1979	at Denver	7-115	16.4	0	39
Oct. 21, 1979	at Los Angeles	7-168	24.0	0	35
Oct. 25, 1979	at Oakland	9-107	11.9	0	25
Nov. 25, 1979	vs. Kansas City	9-123	13.7	1	24t
Oct. 3, 1980	at Oakland	8-135	16.9	0	22
Oct. 19, 1980	vs. N.Y. Giants	10-171	17.1	1	41
Nov. 9, 1980	vs. Denver	9-127	14.1	0	36
Jan. 11, 1981	vs. Oakland*	6-130	21.7	2	48
Sept. 7, 1981	at Cleveland	6-191	31.8	0	57
Sept. 13, 1981	vs. Detroit	7-166	23.7	0	49
Oct. 25, 1981	at Chicago, OT	5-124	24.8	1	45
Dec. 6, 1981	vs. Buffalo	7-106	15.1	0	21
**Jan. 2, 1982	at Miami, OT	7-108	15.4	0	39

*AFC Championship

**AFC Playoff

Joiner Game by Game in 1981

Date	Opponent	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
*Sept. 7	at Cleveland	6-191	31.8	0	57
Sept. 13	Detroit	7-166	23.8	0	49
Sept. 20	at Kansas City	2-23	11.5	0	15
Sept. 27	at Denver	3-32	10.7	0	17
Oct. 4	Seattle	3-34	11.3	2	12t
Oct. 11	Minnesota	6-97	18.2	1	38t
Oct. 18	at Baltimore	6-82	13.7	1	23t
Oct. 25	at Chicago	5-124	24.8	1	45
Nov. 1	Kansas City	3-48	16.0	0	29
Nov. 8	Cincinnati	2-14	7.0	0	9
*Nov. 16	at Seattle	2-13	6.5	0	8
Nov. 23	at Oakland	3-38	12.7	1	19
Nov. 29	Denver	2-27	13.5	0	14
Dec. 6	Buffalo	7-106	15.1	0	21
Dec. 13	at Tampa Bay	7-99	14.1	0	22
*Dec. 21	Oakland	2-48	24.0	1	29

Playoffs

Jan. 2	at Miami	6-106	17.7	0	47
Jan. 10	at Cincinnati	3-41	13.7	0	21

*Monday Night

Joiner's Record by Opponent

Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
Atlanta	2-2	11-155	14.1	30t	1
Baltimore	3-2	11-160	14.5	23t	1
*Buffalo		27-456	16.9	45	4
Chicago	1-1	5-124	24.8	45	1
*Cincinnati		28-525	18.8	87t	6
Cleveland		45-1015	22.6	65t	5
Dallas		6-107	17.8	33	0
Denver		57-934	16.4	57	3
Detroit		16-379	23.7	58t	2
Green Bay	1-1	4-53	13.3	17	0
*Houston		19-395	20.8	81t	1
Kansas City		48-619	12.9	37	4
Los Angeles	1-1	7-168	24.0	35	0
*Miami		25-423	16.9	82t	2
Minnesota		7-120	17.1	38t	1
New England		12-200	16.7	37t	3
New Orleans		10-179	17.9	70t	2
New York Giants		14-238	17.0	41	1
New York Jets		3-71	23.7	35	0
*Oakland		57-915	16.1	48t	5
Philadelphia		3-81	27.0	51	0
Pittsburgh		27-478	17.7	43	1
St. Louis		12-230	19.2	59	1
San Diego		16-225	14.1	46t	2
San Francisco		8-115	14.4	30	1
Seattle	9-9	30-408	13.6	29	4
Tampa Bay	2-2	10-158	15.8	24	0
Washington		6-81	13.5	21	0
*Totals	174-155	524-9012	17.2	87t	51

*Includes Playoff games

Single-game Highs

Receptions—10, vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980

Yards Receiving—200, at Cleveland, Nov. 23, 1975

Longest Reception—87t, at Miami, Sept. 27, 1970

TD Receptions—2, four times. Last: vs. Seattle, Oct. 4, 1981

Postseason

Receptions—7, at Miami, OT, Jan. 2, 1982

Yards Receiving—130, vs. Oakland, Jan. 13, 1981

Longest Reception—48t, vs. Oakland, Jan. 13, 1981

TD Receptions—2*, vs. Oakland, Jan. 13, 1981

*Tied AFC Championship record.



LEROY JONES

Defensive End

68

6-8, 271

Norfolk State, Va.

Eighth Year Trade (Los Angeles)—'76

Jones' 7 sacks were third best on team that tied for third in NFL with 47 . . . unofficially ranks third among Chargers all-time all sack leaders with 42 for 355 yards

. . . Gary Johnson has 60½ sacks and Fred Dean 53½ . . . has been an integral part of Chargers' front four since arrival in 1976 and has been most overlooked member of a line which has sacked quarterbacks 247 times since 1977, tops in NFL . . . Jones' solid, underrated play was highlighted in 1980 when he sacked quarterbacks 11 times, second to Johnson's 17½ sacks . . . named International Harvester's Lineman of the Week by CBS Radio Network for his performance against Oakland Dec. 21, 1981 . . . Jones' nine-yard sack of Marc Wilson in fourth quarter helped repel a Raiders' threat in game won by Chargers 23-10 . . . starter at left defensive end for last five seasons after coming from Los Angeles in one of the best moves in construction of present Chargers team . . . Rams acquired 1977 second-round draft choice from San Diego Sept. 6, 1976 . . . originally a Rams' second-round selection and forty-eighth player in 1975 NFL draft after playing 1974 season with Edmonton of Canadian League . . . played one more year with Eskimos before joining Rams in 1976 . . . height is easily identifiable: Jones is 6 feet, 8 inches, and wears jersey number 68. COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Leroy Jones Sept. 29, 1950, in Greenwood, Mississippi . . . attended Norfolk State, where he was all-Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association in football and basketball for three seasons before leaving school after junior year to

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help support family . . . starred in basketball and football for Amanda Elzy High Panthers in Greenwood suburb of Itta Bena, Mississippi . . . he and his wife Kathy have two girls, Shundra (Jan. 15, 1971) and Yvette (Nov. 22, 1974) . . . they live in Tierrasanta district.

Jones' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/ Losses	Int.-Yds.	TD	Long
1976	San Diego	14-10	32-21	53	0	5 -41	1-11	0	11
1977	San Diego	14-13	29-22	51	0	4 -28	1-17	1	17
1978	San Diego	16-15	35-23	58	1	8 -86	0-0	—	—
1979	San Diego	16-15	29-15	44	1	7½-65	0-0	—	—
1980	San Diego	15-14	29-26	55	0	11 -71	0-0	—	—
1981	San Diego	15-14	32-26	58	1	6½-64	1-6	0	6
Totals		90-81	186-133	319	3	42 -355	3-34	1	17
Postseason		5-5	12-6	18	0	3½-37	0-0	0	0

Single-game Highs

Sacks—3, Last: vs. Seattle, Oct. 14, 1979

Interceptions—1, three times, Last: Sept. 20, 1981, at Kansas City

Yards interceptions—17, at Kansas City, Sept. 25, 1977

TD interceptions—1, at Kansas City, Sept. 25, 1977

Tackles/Assists—8, two times, Last: vs. Detroit, Sept. 13, 1981

Fumble return—32, vs. Green Bay, Sept. 24, 1978



LOUIE KELCHER Defensive Tackle

74

6-5, 282

Southern Methodist

Eighth Year

Draft 2A—'75

Along with fellow tackle Gary Johnson, Kelcher represents foundation around which Chargers' defense was built . . . powerful, big man in the middle has

started 83 of 84 games he has played with Chargers since coming to San Diego in 1975 draft . . . stuffs the run in the middle as well as anyone in game, . . . led Chargers defensive linemen with 109 tackles in 1981 . . . also recorded 5 sacks . . . named second team all-pro by Associated Press and second team all-AFC by United Press International . . . put great finishing touch on 1980 season with 20 tackles and 1 sack in heroic performance against Oakland in AFC championship Jan. 11, 1981 . . . won starting spot for AFC team in Pro Bowl for second time and was named to squad for third time after 1980 season . . . big 1980 season despite suffering disabling knee injury July 25, 1979, that kept Kelcher out of all but three minutes of fifteenth game of 1979 season . . . never has finished lower than fourth on team in tackles, leading with 99 tackles in 1977 . . . also recorded 11 sacks in 1977 to earn first Pro Bowl berth . . . named to NFL all-rookie team by UPI and Pro Football Writers Association in 1975 . . . soft-spoken team leader with sharp wit . . . popular with fans who chant "Loooo! Loooo!" after each defensive play in which he is prominent . . . San Diego's third selection and thirtieth player in 1975 draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Louie James Kelcher Aug. 23, 1953, in Beaumont, Texas . . . Southwest Conference defensive player of the year in 1974 and consensus all-America at Southern Methodist . . . played in Senior Bowl, Hula Bowl, and Blue-Grey game . . . had 22 sacks senior year . . . grew up in Beaumont and played for the French High Buffaloes . . . member of Board of Directors of the San Diego County Unit of American Cancer Society . . . honorary chairman of San Diego-area bike-a-thon and the Kauai Surf Golf Tournament, both fund raisers benefitting American Cancer Society . . . resides in Olivenhain, California,

with his wife, Gerri, and son, Louie James III (May 24, 1978), and daughter, Lauren (Oct. 18, 1979).

Kelcher's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/Losses
1975	San Diego	13-13	63-22	85	0	0 -0
1976	San Diego	14-14	58-32	90	1	6½-60
1977	San Diego	12-12	70-29	99	2	11 -94
1978	San Diego	15-15	48-27	75	1	9 -84
1979	San Diego	1-0	0-0	0	0	0 -0
1980	San Diego	15-15	57-32	89	2	5½-31
1981	San Diego	14-14	56-53	109	1	5 -42
	Totals	84-83	352-195	547	7	37 -311
	Postseason	4-4	25-23	48	0	1 -1

Additional: 1978, '80, 2 int. passes; 2 yards.

Pro Bowl: G-S: 1978, 1-0; 1979, 1-1; 1981, 1-1

Single-game Highs

Sacks—2½-23, vs. Green Bay, Sept. 24, 1978

Tackles/Assists—20, vs. Oakland, Jan. 11, 1981*

*AFC championship



LINDEN KING Linebacker

57

6-4, 237

Fifth Year

Colorado State

Draft 3—'77

With just 1 start prior to 1981, King earned starting job at left linebacker and led team in tackles with 165 . . . big, fast athlete just starting to tap outstanding potential

. . . quick on coverage and fierce pass rusher, recording 4 sacks for 47 yards . . . intercepted pass and returned the ball 28 yards in Kansas City Sept. 20 . . . chalked up 16 tackles twice during season: against Detroit Sept. 13 and in Chicago Oct. 25 . . . injuries reduced King's participation to 5 regular-season games in 1980, beginning with pulled hamstring in first game at Seattle Sept. 7, 1980, and concluding with broken ankle in ninth game at Cincinnati Nov. 2 . . . activated for AFC championship against Oakland Jan. 11, 1981 . . . came to Chargers in 1977 draft as Chargers' second pick (in third round) and seventy-seventh choice overall . . . missed rookie year with ankle injury and backed up Mike Fuller at strong safety in 1978 . . . auditioned briefly at tight end in a 1979 mini-camp, then moved to linebacker . . . made first pro start, versus Buffalo Sept. 16, 1979, when Woodrow Lowe was slowed by hip injury.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Linden Keith King June 28, 1955, in Memphis, Tennessee . . . all-Western Athletic Conference in 1975 and 1976 . . . intercepted 5 passes and returned one 47 yards for touchdown in 1976 . . . played in Blue-Grey game and Senior Bowl . . . played football for the Air Academy High Kadets in Colorado Springs, Colorado . . . named community relations assistant by San Diego Police Chief William Kolender . . . also is honorary spokesman for the Humane Society of San Diego . . . married (Robyn) . . . resides in El Cajon.

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/Losses	Int.-Yds.	TD	Long
1978	San Diego	14-0	13-5	18	1	0-0	1-3	0	3
1979	San Diego	16-1	16-0	16	2	0-0	0-0	—	—
1980	San Diego	5-0	7-1	8	0	0-0	0-0	—	—
1981	San Diego	16-16	102-63	165	0	4-47	1-28	0	28
	Totals	51-17	138-69	207	3	4-47	2-31	0	28
	Postseason	4-2	16-7	23	0	0-0	0-0	—	—

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—1, two times, Last: at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981

Yards interceptions—28, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981

Longest return—28, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981

Tackles/Assists—16, two times, Last: at Chicago, Oct. 25, 1981



BRUCE LAIRD

Safety

30

6-1, 194 American International, Mass. Eleventh Year Trade (Baltimore)—'82 Acquired May 26, 1982, from the Baltimore Colts for future draft choice . . . tough, durable competitor has started 114 of 118 regular-season games at strong safety since 1974 . . . "He's a strong hitter, tough and strong, like an intimidator out there," says Chargers linebackers coach Chuck Weber, Laird's former defensive coordinator in Baltimore . . . started 14 of 15 games in 1981, missing Week 12 game against St. Louis with shoulder injury . . . tied for team lead in tackles with safety Nesby Glasgow, each with 116 tackles . . . 3 interceptions for 59 yards in 1981 tied for team lead and gives Laird 19 career interceptions; tops among active Colts players . . . had top season in 1980, collecting team-leading and career high 5 interceptions for 71 yards and recording 128 tackles, third on team . . . earned all-AFC honors from Pro Football Weekly and New York Daily News and all-Pro honors from Sports Illustrated in 1980 . . . also named as alternate on 1981 AFC Pro Bowl squad . . . had career high 19 pass deflections in 1980 . . . earned Pro Bowl berth in 1972 as AFC's kickoff returner with 29 returns for 843 yards, 29.1-yard average . . . presently holds the Colt career records for most kickoff returns (137) and most kickoff return yardage (3,406 yards) . . . had longest return of 73 yards at New England Nov. 6, 1972 . . . Laird's lone career TD was on 61-yard interception return against Oakland in 1977 AFC Divisional playoffs . . . chosen by Baltimore in sixth round of 1972 collegiate draft and 152nd player overall.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Bruce Allan Laird May 23, 1950, in Lowell, Massachusetts . . . grew up in Scituate, Massachusetts, and was four sport star for the Scituate High Sailors . . . attended American International College in Springfield, Mass., earning college-division all-America honors his junior and senior years . . . played in North-South game as running back . . . earned all-New England honors at both positions as senior in 1971 . . . received degree in history and political science . . . served as spokesman for United Way and Save-A-Heart Foundation . . . works as sales representative with the Lawrence A. Beck Co. of Baltimore . . . resides in Towson, Maryland, with his wife, Leandra, and sons, Matthew (Dec. 27, 1979) and Michael Evans (May 25, 1982).

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	Tack.-Asst.	Totals	Fum. Rec.
1972	Baltimore	14-1	1-31	31.0	0	31		34	1
1973	Baltimore	12-6	0-0	0.0	0	0		32	0
1974	Baltimore	14-14	1-15	15.0	0	15		61	1
1975	Baltimore	14-14	3-46	15.3	0	28	68-31	99	2
1976	Baltimore	14-14	0-0	0.0	0	0	58-11	61	3
1977	Baltimore	14-14	3-56	18.7	0	22	47-21	68	0
1978	Baltimore	14-14	0-0	0.0	0	0	95-19	114	2
1979	Baltimore	15-15	3-101	33.6	0	68	114-20	134	1
1980	Baltimore	15-15	5-71	14.2	0	18	97-31	128	1
1981	Baltimore	15-14	3-59	19.7	0	24	97-19	116	1
Totals		141-121	19-379	20.0	0	68		847	12
Postseason		3-3	2-61	30.5	1	61t			



JIM LASLAVIC (LASS-la-vic)

Linebacker

54

6-2½, 229

Penn State

Ninth Year

Trade (Detroit)–'78

Played often at middle linebacker during second half of 1981 season after starter Cliff Thrift was placed on injured reserve with tricep injury Oct. 27 . . . entered line-

up in passing situations, especially during Chargers' playoff drive . . . had back-to-back big games against Oakland Dec. 21 (in AFC West title clincher) and against Miami Jan. 2 (in AFC West divisional playoff) making eight tackles in each game . . . recovered a punt blocked by Oakland's Lester Hayes and ran four yards for first down that preserved possession for the Chargers at a critical point in game when the Chargers led 7-0 . . . made 45 tackles in 1981, 43 in second half of season . . . big day as Charger took place Nov. 20, 1980, in Miami when he replaced injured Ray Preston and made 16 tackles . . . has played all linebacking positions with Chargers . . . rebounded after missing 1979 season with injury that required operation on knee Aug. 14, 1979 . . . came to Chargers from Detroit May 3, 1978, for fifth- and sixth-round choices in 1978 draft . . . trade took place on second day of 1978 draft . . . Lions' middle linebacker from 1974-76, assuming position after retirement of Mike Lucci . . . second player chosen in third round of 1973 collegiate draft . . . 71st player overall.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born James Edward Laslavic Oct. 24, 1951, in Etna, Pennsylvania . . . at one point in career was one of 10 active NFL linebackers who played collegiately at Penn State . . . made 105 tackles in senior year . . . started two major bowl games the same year: Penn State's 30-6 Cotton Bowl victory over Texas Jan. 1, 1972, and Nittany Lions' 24-0 loss to Oklahoma in Sugar Bowl Dec. 31, 1972 . . . played quarterback, fullback and tight end on a 22-man Etna High Rams squad . . . has written sports for newspapers in Michigan and San Diego . . . worked as sportscaster for Detroit radio station WOMC-FM and for San Diego radio station KOGO . . . Jim and his wife Sue purchased a home in Coronado this year.

Laslavic's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1973	Detroit	14-5		41	1	2	0-0	—	—
1974	Detroit	14-14		94	1	1	1-14	14	0
1975	Detroit	14-13		112	1	0	2-12	10	0
1976	Detroit	12-11		76	3	0	2-13	13	0
1977	Detroit	14-4		53	0	0	1-14	14	0
1978	San Diego	16-0	14-8	22	0	1	0-0	—	—
1979	San Diego	Did not play—injured left knee							
1980	San Diego	16-3	30-18	48	0	1	2-11	11	0
1981	San Diego	16-0	22-23	45	1	1	0-0	—	—
	Totals	116-50		491	7	5	8-64	14	0
	Postseason	4-0	6-10	16	0	0	0-0	—	—

Additional: 1980, 2 kickoff ret., 26 yds., 21 long; 1981, 1 fumble ret., 35 yds.

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—1, eight times; Last: vs. New York Giants, Oct. 19, 1980

Yards returned—14, two times; Last: vs. Tampa Bay, Nov. 20, 1977

Longest return—14, two times; Last: vs. Tampa Bay, Nov. 20, 1977

Tackles/Assists—16, at Miami, Nov. 20, 1980



DAVID LEWIS

Linebacker

53

6-4½, 240 Southern California
Sixth Year Trade (Tampa Bay) - '82

Acquired from the Tampa Bay Buccaneers Feb. 1, 1982, for Chargers' third-round choice (through San Francisco) in 1982 and future considerations . . . fast,

rangy, hard-hitting athlete who can play outside or middle linebacker . . . selected to NFC Pro Bowl squad following 1980 season as outside linebacker . . . started 60 of 62 games for the Bucs, including 57 in a row, before 1981 season . . . had more than 100 tackles in each of the 1978, '79, and '80 seasons . . . has 12 quarterback sacks and 10 interceptions . . . started 4 games in 1981, being replaced in starting lineup by Andy Hawkins . . . figured prominently in dramatic San Diego-Tampa Bay confrontation Dec. 13, 1981, in Tampa . . . picked off a Dan Fouts pass setting up Tampa's go-ahead touchdown in fourth quarter and recovered a John Cappelletti fumble on Chargers' next possession . . . earned all-NFC honors by UPI and first-team all-pro honors from New York Daily News in 1979 after recording 111 tackles, 5½ sacks, 2 interceptions, and forcing 4 fumbles . . . Buccaneers' most valuable player in 1978 player poll . . . second-team all-NFC choice by UPI in 1978 . . . all-rookie selection in 1977 . . . Buccaneers' second-round selection in 1977 NFL collegiate draft and twenty-ninth player overall.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born David Rodney Lewis Oct. 15, 1954, in Houston, Texas . . . three-year starter at the University of Southern California . . . United Press International second team all-America as senior in 1976 and all-Pacific Coast Conference by Associated Press . . . led Trojans with 90 tackles as junior in 1975 on John McKay's last USC team . . . all-Southern California Junior College at San Diego City College in 1973 . . . averaged 16 points a game for junior college basketball team . . . was graduated from Southern California with degree in business administration . . . all-city and all-county in both basketball and football for the Lincoln High Hornets in San Diego . . . worked at U.S. Post Office to help put himself through high school while living in California with uncle . . . active in Tampa community affairs . . . works in marketing and sales for Coca-Cola Bottling Company in Tampa . . . has been active with March of Dimes, Special Olympics and Reading Olympics programs . . . married (Marilyn) with a son, Bryan David (Feb. 28, 1982) . . . resides in Tampa, Florida.

Lewis' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/ Losses	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1977	Tampa Bay	14-13		96	1	5	2-55	42	0
1978	Tampa Bay	16-16		118	1	1½	3-24	13	0
1979	Tampa Bay	16-16		111	2	5½	2-19	11	0
1980	Tampa Bay	16-15		101	0	0	1-0	0	0
1981	Tampa Bay	13-4		41	1	0	2-12	10	0
Totals		76-64		467	5	12	10-110	42	0
Postseason		3-2							

Additional: 1979, 1 fumble rec., 39 yds., 1 TD.

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—2, vs. Chicago, Oct. 22, 1978

Yards returned—42, at San Francisco, Oct. 30, 1977

Longest return—42, at San Francisco, Oct. 30, 1977

QB Sacks—2, at Baltimore, Sept. 9, 1979

Longest fumble return—39ft, vs. N.Y. Giants, Nov. 18, 1979



CHUCK LOEWEN

Guard-Tackle

64

6-3½, 259
Third Year

South Dakota State
Draft 7A—'80

Powerfully-built blocker who can play guard and tackle . . . used mainly on extra point and field goal teams . . . played in all 16 regular-season games and 2 post-season games in 1980 . . . ankle injury sustained in Kansas City Sept. 20, 1981, put Chuck on injured reserve for 7 weeks . . . recalled Nov. 15 and started the next three games at right tackle for injured Russ Washington . . . came to Chargers in seventh round of 1980 NFL draft but was Chargers' forty-ninth-ranked player in the draft that year despite lack of big-school background, having played for South Dakota State University Jackrabbits in Brookings, S.D. . . . 175th player chosen.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Charles Duane Loewen Jan. 23, 1957, in Mountain Lake, Minnesota . . . all-North Central Conference and selected to Kodak and Pepsi-Cola all-America teams in 1980 at South Dakota State . . . won NCAA postgraduate academic scholarship . . . was graduated with 3.62 grade-point-average in commercial economics and agricultural business . . . was in graduate school at Arizona State, which he still attends, when Chargers selected him on second day of 1980 draft . . . played football for the Mountain Lake High Lakers . . . single . . . resides on Mission Beach.

Games-starts: 1980, 16-0; 1981, 9-3; Totals, 25-3

Postseason

Games-starts: 1980, 2-0; 1981, 2-0; Totals, 4-0



Chargers defense sacked quarterback 47 times in 1981.

Chris Collier



WOODROW LOWE

Linebacker

51

6-0, 227

Alabama

Seventh Year

Draft 5-'76

Continued strong, consistent play on right side in 1981, starting 16 games and both postseason contests . . . fast and compact defender with nose for ball . . . inter-

cepted three passes, broke up three others, and sacked quarterbacks twice for 19 yards in losses . . . his 133 tackles in 1981, the same number he accomplished in 1980, were second on team behind Linden King's 165 . . . led squad in tackles in 1980 . . . interception in Tampa Bay Dec. 13, 1981, with 5:38 left in game set up the Chargers' winning field goal drive . . . steady performance just now getting deserved recognition . . . gained second-team all-AFC honors by United Press International and was AFC Pro Bowl alternate after 1981 season . . . intercepted 3 passes in 1980 . . . had a 28-yard return of a David Woodley pass to position the Chargers for 27-24 overtime win in Miami Nov. 20, 1980 . . . played in all 92 games since joining team in 1976 . . . started 90 games, missing starts against Buffalo and New England on fourth and fifth weekends of 1979 season because of sore hip . . . one of three players in 1979 (Lester Hayes and Jim Youngblood were others) who scored 2 touchdowns via interceptions . . . only cornerback Dick Harris, with 3 in 1961 has more among Chargers players . . . came to the Chargers in fifth round of 1976 NFL draft and was 131st player chosen.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Woodrow Lowe June 9, 1954, in Columbus, Georgia . . . mainstay for Crimson Tide of Alabama for four years, earning four letters and being named team captain in 1975 . . . when the Chargers drafted Lowe, Alabama coach Bear Bryant said, "San Diego's getting Lowe in the fifth round is like getting a ten-dollar gold piece for ten cents." . . . grew up across the Chattahoochee River from Columbus in Phenix City, Alabama . . . played football for the Phenix City Central High Red Devils . . . resides in Tierrasanta district, with his wife Linda, their son, Woodrow, Jr. (Nov. 11, 1975), and daughter, Briana (Oct. 4, 1979).

Lowe's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sack/ Losses	Int.-Yds.	TD	Long
1976	San Diego	14-14	57-25	82	2	0-0	1-8	0	8
1977	San Diego	14-14	49-25	74	0	0-0	1-28	0	28
1978	San Diego	16-16	79-36	115	1	2-7	1-16	0	16
1979	San Diego	16-14	59-32	91	1	1-6	5-150	2	77t
1980	San Diego	16-16	89-44	133	1	1-1	3-73	1	28
1981	San Diego	16-16	82-51	133	0	2-19	3-0	0	0
Totals		92-90	415-213	628	5	6-33	14-274	3	77t
Postseason		5-5	22-9	31	0	1-11	0-0	-	-

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—2, vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979

Yards interceptions—106, vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979

Longest return—77t, vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979

TD interceptions—1, three times, Last: at Dallas, Oct. 26, 1980



Woodrow Lowe is Chargers' top tackler over last five seasons

Chris Cotter



ED LUTHER Quarterback

11

6-2½, 211
Third Year

San Jose State
Draft 4A-'80

Strong-armed quarterback who has indicated brilliant future with two impressive preseasons . . . completed 55 of 109 passes for 887 yards and 6 touchdowns in four 1981 preseason games . . . completed 22 of 27 passes for 288 yards at San Francisco Aug. 15, including 73-yard touchdown pass and run to Dwight Scales with 1:40 left in game to defeat the eventual world champion 49ers, 31-28 . . . completed 17 of 38 passes for 369 yards against Buffalo Aug. 28 . . . completed 43 of 81 passes for 551 yards in 1980 preseason . . . got into five games as backup to Dan Fouts in each of first two seasons . . . completed 7 of 15 passes as late-game substitute in 1981 . . . gaining experience in pressure situations as holder for kicker Rolf Benirschke . . . Chargers' first pick in 1980 NFL draft, although not chosen until fourth round, after 100 selections . . . Chargers ranked Luther fifteenth among all collegiate players.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Edward Augustine Luther Jan. 2, 1957, in Gardena, California . . . attended San Jose State . . . completed 600 of 1,124 attempts for 7,190 yards and 47 touchdowns in 4 seasons in pass-oriented system . . . completed 241 of 421 passes for 3,049 yards and 20 touchdowns as senior . . . second to Brigham Young's Marc Wilson with 272.5-yard total offense average as senior . . . played third base on the San Jose State baseball team . . . played football and baseball for St. Paul's High Swordmen in Santa Fe Springs, California . . . avid bicyclist, having peddled from Seattle to Los Angeles . . . donates part of his earnings to athletic programs at St. Paul's High and San Jose State and to religious youth groups in San Diego . . . resides in La Costa . . . married (Laurie).

Luther's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Long	Pass Int.	Rating
1980	San Diego	5-0	3-2	26	.667	0	13	1	54.3
1981	San Diego	16-0	15-7	68	.467	0	25	1	32.0
	Totals	21-0	18-9	94	.500	0	25	2	25.9

DON MACEK (MAY-sick) Center

62

6-2½, 253
Seventh Year

Boston College
Draft 2-'76

Has been mainstay in Chargers' offensive line since joining club as second-round draft pick in 1976 . . . started 73 of 82 games at either center or guard . . . drafted as guard and started every game at right guard as rookie . . . started every game in 1980 at center and missed one game (Minnesota Oct. 11) in 1981 with concussion . . . started last 8 games of 1978 and first 6 games of 1979 at center after playing guard most of first three seasons . . . missed last 10 games of 1979 after sustaining pinched nerve in neck against Denver Oct. 7, 1979 . . . squat, powerfully-built player recognized as one of top pass protectors in football . . . named alternate on the 1982 AFC Pro Bowl squad . . . selected to NFL all-rookie team by Professional Football Writers of America in 1976 . . . fourth offensive lineman and third guard chosen in 1976 draft (other guards were Tom Glassic, Denver, and Rod Walters, Kansas City) . . . played at center in college . . . 31st player in 1976 NFL draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Donald Matthew Macek July 21, 1954, in Manchester, New Hampshire . . . attended Boston Col-

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lege . . . all-East in 1975 and played in East-West Shrine game, Chicago All-Star game, and Hula Bowl . . . attending National University in San Diego in off-season, studying for master's degree in marketing . . . played football, basketball, and participated in track for the Manchester Central High Little Green . . . active in community affairs . . . is community relations assistant to San Diego Police Chief William Kolender . . . Macek and teammates work with high school students in city . . . also assists with Job Corp in counseling young people . . . co-chairman of San Diego Children's Hospital's Penny-a-Point campaign . . . married (Jan) and has son, Scott Edward (Nov. 19, 1981) . . . resides in Tiersanta district.

Macek's Statistics

Games-starts: 1976, 14-14; 1977, 14-13; 1978, 13-9; 1979, 9-6; 1980, 16-16; 1981, 15-15; Totals, 91-73.

Additional: 1976, 1 recovered fumble; 1977, 1 recovered fumble; 1978, 1 kickoff return, 6 yards; 1981, 1 recovered fumble

Postseason: Games-starts: 1980, 2-2, 1981, 2-2, totals, 4-4 Additional, 1 rec. fumble.



CHUCK MUNCIE **Running Back**

46

6-3, 218

California

Seventh Year Trade (New Orleans) — '80

Muncie's hard-driving running style, ability to make catches out of backfield and acceleration around, through, and over defenses have made Chuck one of the

NFL's most-feared offensive weapons . . . first full year in San Diego saw Muncie rush for 1,144 yards, the first 1,000-yard season by a Chargers ball-carrier since Don Woods gained 1,162 yards in 1974 . . . only Woods' total is better on Chargers' all-time season rushing list . . . finished second in AFC to Earl Campbell's 1,376 yards and ninth in NFL . . . Muncie's 19 rushing touchdowns have never been bettered in NFL history, tying the record set by Green Bay's Jim Taylor in 1962 and equaled in 1979 by Houston's Campbell . . . scored 114 points to lead the Chargers . . . it was top point total of any non-kicker and fifth overall . . . had five 100-plus yard efforts, including 120 yards in Chargers' overtime playoff victory in Miami . . . named all-AFC by United Press International and College and Pro Football News Weekly . . . also gained a berth on the AFC Pro Bowl squad, the second time in the past three years . . . named Southern California's Athlete of November by members of the First Interstate Bank Athletic Foundation and honored with a Mackey Award at the sixteenth Annual Players' Association Awards Banquet for his achievements in 1981 . . . has been tagged "Mr. Monday Night" for his efforts on national television broadcasts by ABC . . . has gained more than 100 yards 4 out of 5 games on Monday night, missing by 6 yards on the final game of the 1981 season . . . Monday night games include 128 yards against Oakland Dec. 3, 1979; 115 yards against Pittsburgh Dec. 22, 1980; 161 yards in Cleveland Sept. 7, 1981; 151 yards in Seattle Nov. 16, 1981, and 94 yards against Oakland Dec. 21, 1981 . . . came to San Diego Sept. 28, 1980, in trade sending Chargers' 1982 second-round pick to Saints . . . representative of two big trades with New Orleans in which Chargers gave top three picks from 1981 and 1982 draft to get Muncie (second round, 1981) and Wes Chandler (first and third rounds, 1982) . . . player of game in January, 1980, AFC-NFC Pro Bowl by gaining 71 yards in 12 carries and rushing for 2 touchdowns and passing for another . . . UPI second-team all-NFC choice in 1979 . . . Saints' first choice and third pick in first round of 1976 NFL draft behind Lee Roy Selmon and Steve Niehaus.

1980 Came to Chargers in trade that was consummated after Chargers' 24-7 victory at Kansas City on fourth Sunday of regular season . . . started slowly but finished strongly, a 115-yard rushing performance in the final regular-season game against Pittsburgh helping the Chargers claim their second successive AFC West title . . . led Chargers with 4.9-yard rushing average for 135 carries and, combined with first 4 weeks at New Orleans, ranked among league leaders with 4.7 average for 175 carries.

1981 Muncie rushed for 161 yards on 24 carries in 44-14, season-opening victory at Cleveland . . . set personal bests with 9 receptions for 95 yards in Kansas City Sept. 20, bettering his 7 catches for 69 yards versus San Francisco Dec. 12, 1976 . . . fractured left hand in Denver in Week 4 and sat out following game . . . did not start Week 6 against Minnesota, but ran for 102 yards with a cast on hand . . . rushed for 151 yards and 2 touchdowns in Seattle Nov. 16 . . . 73-yard run in Seattle game was longest of Muncie's career . . . scored four rushing touchdowns in first half against Denver Nov. 29, tying club record . . . surpassed 1,000-yard rushing mark and tied NFL record with 19 rushing touchdowns on season against Buffalo Dec. 6.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Harry Vance Muncie March 17, 1953, in Uniontown, Pennsylvania . . . grew up in Uniontown, where he played one game of football at Lafayette Junior High, sustained a concussion and withdrew . . . next football experience was as freshman at Arizona Western College in Yuma, Arizona . . . transferred to California and teamed with quarterback Joe Roth and wide receiver Wesley Walker on one of most explosive offensive units in collegiate football . . . set school rushing records with 3,052 yards and 38 touchdowns in three seasons . . . all-America and runner-up in Heisman Trophy voting in 1975 to Archie Griffin . . . twice elected team captain and twice named team most-valuable player . . . offensive MVP in East-West Shrine game and Japan Bowl . . . played in Hula Bowl . . . played guard and averaged 18 points a game in senior year in basketball for the Uniontown High Red Raiders . . . brother Bill Munsey played six years with British Columbia Lions of Canadian League as a running back; brother George Munsey was briefly with the Minnesota Vikings as a cornerback; and brother Nelson was a cornerback with the Baltimore Colts from 1971-78 . . . Chuck's last name was misspelled on birth certificate . . . married (Robyn) . . . resides in San Diego.

Rushing

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	No. Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1976	N. Orleans	12-11	148-652	4.4	2	51	31-272	8.8	0	33
1977	N. Orleans	14-11	201-811	4.0	6	36	21-248	11.8	1	35t
1978	N. Orleans	13-11	160-557	3.6	7	28	26-233	9.0	0	34
1979	N. Orleans	16-15	238-1198	5.0	11	69t	40-308	7.7	0	28
1980	N. Orleans	4-3	40-168	4.2	2	24	7-25	3.6	0	8
1980	San Diego	11-5	135-659	4.9	4	53	24-234	9.8	0	19
1981	San Diego	15-14	251-1144	4.6	19	73t	43-362	8.4	0	32
	Totals	85-70	1173-5189	4.4	51	73t	192-1682	8.8	1	35t
	Postseason	4-2	74-328	4.4	2	18	10-63	6.3	0	16

Additional: 1978, 1 pass attempt; 1979, 2 pass attempts, 1 completion 40 yards, 1 touchdown (to Wes Chandler). 1981, 1 pass attempt, 1 completion, 3 yards, 1 touchdown (to Kellen Winslow)

Rushing

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	No. Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1980	San Diego		27-114	4.2	1	18	8-58	7.3	0	16
1981	San Diego	2-2	47-214	4.6	1	18	2-5	2.5	0	8

Additional Postseason: 1981, 1 pass attempt, 1 completion, 25 yards.

Single-game Highs

Yards Rushing—161, two times, Last: at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981
 Rushing Attempts—28, vs. Oakland, Dec. 21, 1981
 Longest Run—73t, at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981
 TD Rushing—4, vs. Denver, Nov. 29, 1981
 Receptions—9, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981
 Yards Receiving—85, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981
 TD Receptions—1, at Chicago, Oct. 2, 1977
 Longest Reception—35t (from Archie Manning), at Chicago, Oct. 2, 1977
 Kickoff Returns—6, at Oakland, Oct. 12, 1980
 Yards Kickoff Returns—118, at Oakland, Oct. 12, 1980
 Longest Return—44, at Oakland, Oct. 12, 1980

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Muncie Game by Game in 1981

Date	Opponent	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
*Sept. 7	at Cleveland	24-161	6.7	1	21
Sept. 13	Detroit	15-36	2.4	2	11
Sept. 20	at Kansas City	17-93	5.5	2	30
Sept. 27	at Denver	7-16	2.3	0	6
Oct. 4	Seattle	Did not play—broken right hand			
Oct. 11	Minnesota	21-102	4.9	2	22
Oct. 18	at Baltimore	14-61	4.4	2	16
Oct. 25	at Chicago	12-21	1.8	0	6
Nov. 1	Kansas City	16-63	3.9	2	8
Nov. 8	Cincinnati	17-90	5.3	0	16
*Nov. 16	at Seattle	20-151	7.6	2	73
Nov. 22	at Oakland	17-45	2.6	1	8
Nov. 29	Denver	18-75	4.2	4	14
Dec. 6	Buffalo	22-119	5.4	1	16
Dec. 13	at Tampa Bay	3-17	5.7	0	14
*Dec. 21	Oakland	28-94	3.4	0	9
Playoffs					
Jan. 2	at Miami	24-120	5.0	1	18
Jan. 10	at Cincinnati	23-94	4.1	0	11

*Monday Night

100 Yards Rushing

Date	Opponent	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Sept. 26, 1976	at Kansas City	25-126	5.0	0	33
Nov. 28, 1976	at Los Angeles	15-109	7.3	1	51
Oct. 23, 1977	at St. Louis	13-102	7.8	1	22
Dec. 4, 1977	vs. N.Y. Jets	20-107	5.4	1	24
Sept. 2, 1979	vs. Atlanta	22-161	7.3	2	69
Nov. 11, 1979	vs. San Francisco	18-117	6.5	3	24
Dec. 3, 1979	vs. Oakland	21-128	6.1	1	31
Nov. 9, 1980	vs. Denver	23-115	5.0	0	13
Dec. 22, 1980	vs. Pittsburgh	26-115	4.4	1	14
Sept. 7, 1981	at Cleveland	24-161	6.7	1	21
Oct. 11, 1981	vs. Minnesota	21-102	4.9	2	22
Nov. 16, 1981	at Seattle	20-151	7.6	2	73
Dec. 6, 1981	vs. Buffalo	22-119	5.4	1	16
Jan. 2, 1982	at Miami*, OT	24-120	5.0	1	18

*AFC Playoff



IRVIN PHILLIPS

Cornerback

23

6-1, 192

Arkansas Tech

Second Year

Draft 3—'81

Big, fast cornerback who made 24 tackles playing almost solely on special teams . . . missed Sept. 27 game at Denver with ankle sprain . . . started

season as Chargers' nickel back but was slowed by injury . . . recovered to make important contributions on special teams, always being one of first players downfield on punt coverage . . . third-round draft choice in 1981 and seventy-seventh player in draft. COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Irvin Jerome Phillips Jan. 23, 1960, in Leesburg, Florida . . . all-Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference as senior for the Arkansas Tech Wonder Boys in Russellville, Arkansas . . . played running back until switch to defense during sophomore year . . . made 74 tackles, blocked 2 punts, and recovered 1 fumble as senior . . . made 4 career interceptions and blocked 4 punts . . . all-conference three years in track with :09.7 100-yard dash . . . has degree in commercial art . . . played high school football for the Sarasota Sailors in Sarasota, Florida . . . single . . . resides in Sarasota.

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst	Total	Opp. Fum.
1981	San Diego	15-0	14-10	24	1
	Totals	15-0	14-10	24	1
	Postseason	2-0	0-1	1	0

Additional: 1981, 1 punt ret., 0 yds.



RAY PRESTON

Linebacker

52

6-0, 218
Sixth Year

Syracuse
Draft 11-'76

Played in all 16 games in 1981 as backup to Linden King on left side and was strong special teams player . . . started 29 of 32 games in 1979 through 1980 . . . quick

linebacker who tied Woodrow Lowe for team-leading 5 interceptions in 1979 . . . fifth on team with 84 tackles in 1980 after leading team with 130 in 1979 . . . moved into starting lineup after backing up Don Goode for three seasons . . . recovered 2 fumbles and had two quarterback sacks in 1980 . . . came to Chargers as eleventh-round choice and number 295 overall in 1976.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Raymond Newton Preston Jan. 25, 1954, in Lawrence, Massachusetts . . . attended Syracuse University and was Orangemen's most-valuable player in 1975 . . . Kodak All-American selected to play in East-West Shrine game, Hula Bowl, and Japan Bowl . . . holds degree in marketing . . . was high school and collegiate rival of Don Macek's before they joined the Chargers . . . Preston played for the Lawrence High Lancers and Macek for Central High in Manchester, N.H., 30 miles away . . . married (Susan), with a daughter, Casie (June 23, 1980), and son, Raymond Newton III (June 12, 1982).

Preston's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/ Losses	Int.-Yds.	TD	Long
1976	San Diego	14-0	25-9	34	2	0-0	0-0	—	—
1977	San Diego	11-0	13-3	16	0	0-0	0-0	—	—
1978	San Diego	16-1	29-17	46	0	0-0	0-0	—	—
1979	San Diego	16-16	78-38	116	0	0-0	5-121	35	0
1980	San Diego	14-13	49-35	84	2	2-14	0-0	—	—
1981	San Diego	16-0	15-28	43	0	0-0	0-0	—	—
	Totals	87-30	209-130	339	4	2-14	5-121	35	0
	Postseason	5-3	17-6	23	0	0-0	0-0	—	—

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—2, two times, Last: vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979

Yards interceptions—60, vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979

Longest return—35, vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979



Bill Romero

James Brooks gained more than 2,000 yards in 1981 rushing, receiving, returning.



GEORGE ROBERTS

Punter

4

6-0, 186

Virginia Tech

Fifth Year

Trade (Miami) — '81

Acquired prior to start of 1981 season for sixth round draft choice in 1982 draft . . . strong, accurate left-footed kicker who brought consistency to Chargers' punting game . . . had fourth-highest net punting average in the AFC, 35.4 . . . Roberts' 41-yard average was sixth in AFC and was highest of any Charger punter since Dennis Partee's 41.1-yard average in 1973 . . . Chargers' first left-footed punter and only fourth in NFL history (Pat Brady, Donnie Anderson, and Bucky Dills were others) . . . averaged 42.6 yards on 77 punts in 1980, setting Miami record . . . ranked fourth in NFL in 1980 and placed fifth, eighth, and sixth in NFL in net punting average since 1978 . . . came to Dolphins five days before 1978 opener after being waived by Washington Redskins . . . joined Redskins as free agent and averaged 42.2 yards on 9 punts in preseason . . . handled kickoffs for six games for Dolphins as rookie.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born George William Roberts June 10, 1955, in Lynchburg, Virginia . . . was walk-on punter at Virginia Tech in spring, 1976, and set school records of 41.5 and 42.1 yards in consecutive years . . . earned Bachelor of Arts degree in urban affairs with long-range goal of law school . . . placekicker and receiver for the E.C. Glass High Lynchburg . . . six handicap golfer . . . single . . . resides in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Year	Team	G	No.	Yds.	Long	Avg.	Total Punts	TB	Bik.	Opp. Ret. Ret. Yds.	In 20	Net Avg.
1978	Miami	16	81	3263	59	40.3	81	9	0	42-203	22	34.3
1979	Miami	16	69	2772	68	40.2	70	11	1	25-131	13	34.6
1980	Miami	16	77	3279	71	42.6	79	8	2	42-339	18	35.2
1981	San Diego	16	62	2540	61	41.0	63	7	1	31-168	16	35.4
Total		64	289	11854	71	41.0	293	35	4	140-841	69	34.9
Postseason		4	15	608	53	40.5	15	0	0		2	

Additional — Rushing: 1 — (-9) on attempted punt, at Pittsburgh, Dec. 30, 1979 (Divisional Playoff)



BOB RUSH

Center-Tackle

56

6-5, 264

Memphis State

Fifth Year

Draft 1 — '77

Big, mobile center who can swing to either tackle position . . . started against Minnesota Oct. 11 for Don Macek who was sidelined with concussion . . . handles pressure of long snaps on all punt and kicking teams . . . started last 10 games of 1979 season when Macek, went to sidelines with pinched nerve in neck . . . had to fight back after hard luck 1980 preseason in which Rush came down with ulcer that temporarily put him on sidelines . . . suffered knee injury that took place on second play of a preseason scrimmage at Irvine against Dallas, forcing Rush out of 1978 season . . . made NFL all-rookie team in 1977 after coming to Chargers as twenty-fourth player selected in first round and first center and fifth offensive lineman chosen.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Robert Jeffrey Rush Feb. 27, 1955, in Santa Monica, California . . . moved to Clarksville, Tennessee, at age 10 and attended Memphis State University, where he was selected to independent schools' all-South team and some all-America squads . . . played Senior Bowl and Blue-Gray game . . . played defensive end for the Northwest High Vikings in Clarksville . . . not related to Bob Rush who pitched for Chicago

Cubs and Milwaukee Braves baseball teams from 1948-60 . . . received Bachelor of Arts degree in sociology at Memphis State . . . certified scuba diver with teammate Russ Washington . . . Bob and wife Patsy have a son, Robert Jeffrey, Jr. (April 26, 1982) and live in Germantown, Tennessee.

Games-starts: 1977, 14-0; 1979, 16-10; 1980, 15-1; 1981, 16-1; Totals, 61-12

Postseason

Games-starts: 1979, 1-1; 1980, 2-0; 1981, 2-0



DWIGHT SCALES

Wide Receiver

87

6-2, 185

Grambling

Sixth Year

Free Agent—'81

Made career comeback with Chargers after sitting out 1980 season . . . acquired by Chargers prior to minicamp in 1981 and made a big showing during summer training camp . . . caught 10 passes, averaged 15.9 yards a catch, and scored two touchdowns, including a game-winner against eventual world champion San Francisco Aug. 15 on a 73-yard catch-and-run from quarterback Ed Luther . . . steady, reliable receiver who started opposite Charlie Joiner in 4 of first 5 games . . . ended season as Chargers' third wide receiver, catching 19 for 429 yards . . . his 22.6-yard average was tops on squad . . . played in all 16 games and 2 postseason contests, catching at least 1 pass in all but 4 games . . . had biggest yardage day of career against Cincinnati Nov. 8 with 3 catches for 102 yards . . . caught 3 passes against Minnesota Oct. 11, including 60-yard touchdown, second-longest reception by a Charger in 1981 . . . away from professional football in 1980 after being waived by New York Giants in 1980 preseason . . . worked for the Census Bureau and sold insurance during 1980 in Hackensack, New Jersey . . . acquired by Giants in August, 1979, after being waived by Los Angeles during 1979, training camp . . . Rams' third pick in fifth round and 155th player in 1976 NFL collegiate draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Dwight Austin Scales May 30, 1953, in Little Rock, Arkansas . . . earned all-America Division II honors as senior at Grambling when he teamed with wide receiver Sammy White and Quarterback Doug Williams . . . three-year starter and lettered four years . . . Scales caught 87 passes for 1,704 yards, a 19.6 average, and 27 touchdowns . . . became five-sport star for the Robert E. Lee High Generals in Huntsville, Alabama, playing football, basketball, and participating in track, gymnastics, and swimming . . . resides in San Diego's Tierrasanta district with his wife, Carla, and daughter Asean'te Renee (Aug. 25, 1981).

Scales' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1976	Los Angeles	14-0	3-105	35.0	1	80t
1977	Los Angeles	14-0	5-104	20.8	1	32
1978	Los Angeles	13-0	5-105	21.0	0	38
1979	New York Giants	15-4	14-222	15.9	0	55
1981	San Diego	16-4	19-429	22.6	1	60t
	Totals	72-8	50-985	19.7	3	80t
	Postseason	7-0	2-35	17.5	0	17

Additional: 1976, 7 kickoff ret., 136 yds., 19.4 avg., 27 long; 4 punt ret., 46 yds., 11.5 avg., 21 long; 1978, 1 blocked punt ret., 30 yds., 1 TD

Single-game Highs

Receptions—4, at Tampa Bay, Nov. 18, 1979

Yards Receiving—102, vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981

Longest Reception—80t, vs. Atlanta, Dec. 4, 1976

TD receptions—1, three times, Last: vs. Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981



DEWEY SELMON

Linebacker

58

6-1, 240 Oklahoma
Sixth Year Trade (Tampa Bay) - '82

Acquired March 30, 1982, from Tampa Bay for a future draft choice . . . cerebral linebacker who came to Chargers after starting 58 of 60 games before 1981 as

inside-strongside linebacker in Bucs' 3-4 alignment . . . missed 1981 season with thigh injury suffered in training camp practice . . . started career as defensive lineman and switched to linebacker in 1977 . . . fourth on team with 99 tackles in 1980 . . . voted second team All-Pro by Associated Press in 1979 missed game at New York against Giants Oct. 7, 1979, with elbow bruise to end streak of 35 consecutive starts . . . top year as tackler was 1977 with 167 . . . did not miss a start in 1978 despite painful wrist dislocation suffered at Los Angeles Nov. 5, 1978 . . . blocked field goal and forced three fumbles and was Bucs' most-valuable player honors, as designated by St. Petersburg Times . . . recorded 158 tackles in 1978 . . . second player chosen in second round by Tampa Bay and sixtieth player in 1976 NFL draft . . . selected after brother Lee Roy Selmon, Buccaneers' first choice and first player in draft, and running back Jimmy DuBose . . . started 5 games as defensive tackle in 1976 and played in 12 . . . switched to linebacker the next season and called defensive signals.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Dewey Willis Selmon Nov. 19, 1953, in Eufaula, Oklahoma . . . started two seasons at middle guard for Oklahoma's 1974 and 1975 national championship teams . . . teamed on the line with 11-month younger brother Lee Roy, and was named first-team academic all-America in 1975 with his brother . . . also picked for 1975 United Press International, Associated Press, and Football Coaches all-America teams . . . nominated for 1975 Lombardi Award, symbolic of the best college lineman in the nation; award was won by Lee Roy . . . graduated from Oklahoma with a 3.5-grade-point-average and degree in communications . . . working towards Ph.D in ancient philosophy at Oklahoma . . . played tailback in same backfield with Lee Roy for Eufaula High Ironheads . . . one of 9 children . . . older brother Lucious also played defensive line at Oklahoma . . . Dewey now works as oil and gas consultant for state of Oklahoma and other oil-related firms . . . enjoys gourmet cooking with wife, Kathryn, and has two daughters, Shannon (Dec. 15, 1979) and Megan (April 21, 1981) . . . resides in Norman, Oklahoma.

Selmon's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tackles	Opp. Fum.	Int.-Yds.	Avg	Long	TD
1976	Tampa Bay	12-5	23	0	0-0	—	—	—
1977	Tampa Bay	14-14	167	1	2-29	14.5	—	—
1978	Tampa Bay	16-16	158	0	1-0	0.0	0	0
1979	Tampa Bay	15-15	125	0	0-0	—	—	—
1980	Tampa Bay	15-15	99	1	0-0	—	—	—
1982	Tampa Bay	Did not play—injured (thigh)						
	Totals	72-65	572	2	3-29	9.7	—	—
	Postseason	2-2	22	0	0-0	—	—	—

Additional—1976, 2 sacks; 1978, 1 blocked field goal, vs. Atlanta, Sept. 24, 1978



BILLY SHIELDS

Tackle

66

6-8, 275
Eighth Year

Georgia Tech
Draft 6B-'75

Hard-working big man has been fixture at left tackle since 1976 . . . started last 72 games, 91 of 92 since 1976 . . . missed a game with broken bone in back against

Kansas City Oct. 23, 1977 . . . had best year as professional in 1981 . . . named International Harvester's Lineman of the Week by CBS Radio Network for performance against Cleveland Sept. 7 and designated \$1,000 award to go to San Diego Children's Hospital in his name . . . has toughness and determination which has enabled Shields to develop into top blocker and pass protector . . . member of 1975 draft class that helped form nucleus of club . . . Chargers' second selection in sixth round and 136th player chosen . . . co-player representative with guard Doug Wilkerson.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born William Dean Shields Aug. 23, 1953, in Vicksburg, Mississippi . . . co-captain of 1974 Georgia Tech team and all-Southeast Independents selection that season . . . played football and basketball for Banks High Jets in Birmingham, Alabama . . . active member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes . . . Shields and other offensive linemen will serve as honorary chairmen of Children's Hospital's 1982 Penny-a-Point campaign . . . one of several players appointed to San Diego Police Department's reserve officers program aiding the Police Department in recruitment and community relations . . . resides in Tierrasanta with wife Laurel and sons, Brian (Jan. 9, 1975) and Preston (Oct. 6, 1977), and daughter, Rebecca (Aug. 19, 1980).

Shields' Statistics

Games-starts: 1975, 11-0; 1976, 14-14; 1977, 13-13; 1978, 16-16; 1979, 16-16; 1980, 16-16; 1981, 16-16; Totals, 102-91

Additional: 1979, 1 recovered fumble; 1980, 2 recovered fumbles.

Postseason

Games-starts: 1979, 1-1; 1980, 2-2; 1981, 2-2



Shields is stalwart on left side of line.

Sam Stone



Simon faced Fouts, Chargers in snow, 1978



JEFF SIMON **Linebacker**

55

6-2, 235

Stanford
Eleventh Year Trade (Minnesota) — '82

Came to Chargers May 28, 1982, from Minnesota Vikings for future draft choice . . . smart, talented veteran has played in 143 straight games since 1972 . . . has

been one of NFL's top linebackers over past 10 years, playing in four Pro Bowls . . . became Vikings' starting middle linebacker in the seventh game of rookie season, replacing injured Lonnie Warwick, and started 104 of 110 games until an ankle injury in the 1980 preseason took him out of starting status . . . started 15 games as inside linebacker in 3-4 alignment in 1981, ranked fifth on team with 128 tackles and recovered 1 fumble . . . led team in tackles from 1975-'78, during which he averaged 175 tackles a year . . . top year included 170 unassisted tackles and 59 assists in 1978 . . . last Pro Bowl berth following 1977 season, also earned Pro Bowl honors in 1973, '75, and '76 . . . led Minnesota with 15 unassisted tackles in Super Bowl XI and 10 tackles in Super Bowl IX . . . career high 3 interceptions for 24 yards in 1975 . . . missed two starts in 1977 and first four starts in 1979 with leg injury . . . Vikings' number one choice and tenth player selected in 1972 NFL draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Jeffrey Glenn Simon June 2, 1950, in Rochester, Minnesota . . . grew up in Bakersfield, California.

before attending Stanford University . . . all-America as senior and named all-Coast final two years . . . ringleader of Stanford's "Thunder Chickens" defensive unit in Rose Bowl victories over Ohio State (1970) and Michigan (1971) . . . received degree in history from Stanford . . . played quarterback and linebacker for the Bakersfield High Drillers . . . on national boards of Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Pro Athletes Outreach . . . partner in Charter Services, a group health insurance brokerage company in Minneapolis . . . married (Dawn) with four children—Jeff (March 21, 1974), and three girls, Maile (July 8, 1975), Kelle (Feb. 28, 1979), and Malie (Dec. 2, 1980).

Siemon's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Fum. Rec.	Int.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1972	Minnesota	13-8			2	2-23	11.5	23	0
1973	Minnesota	14-14			2	2-24	12.0	21	0
1974	Minnesota	14-14			3	2-24	12.0	22	0
1975	Minnesota	14-14	91-34	125	1	3-24	8.0	14	0
1976	Minnesota	14-14	146-42	188	0	1-0	0.0	0	0
1977	Minnesota	14-12	107-54	161	2	1-9	9.0	9	0
1978	Minnesota	16-16	170-59	229	0	0-0	—	—	—
1979	Minnesota	16-12	115-34	149	0	0-0	—	—	—
1980	Minnesota	16-3	42		0	0-0	—	—	—
1981	Minnesota	16-15		128	1	0-0	—	—	—
Totals		147-122			11	11-104	9.5	23	0
Postseason		14-13							

Additional: 1973, 1 blocked field goal; 1976, 1 blocked field goal; 1979, 1 quarterback sack; 1980, 1 quarterback sack



ERIC SIEVERS Tight End

85

6-4, 234

Maryland

Second Year

Draft 4B—'81

Voted to NFL all-Rookie team by United Press International . . . strong, muscular blocker who also has been big part of Chargers' offense . . . started 10 games

in two-tight end offense with Kellen Winslow . . . smart player on pass routes and tough to bring down after catch . . . caught 22 passes for 276 yards and 3 touchdowns . . . best day was against Denver Nov. 29; Sievers caught 4 passes for 36 yards and 1 touchdown . . . made 14 tackles on special teams . . . second player chosen by Chargers in fourth round of 1981 NFL draft and 107th overall.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Eric Scott Sievers Nov. 9, 1957, in Urbana, Illinois . . . caught 60 passes for 13.9-yard average in four seasons for Maryland Terrapins . . . played in 6 college bowl games, including Senior Bowl and East-West Shrine game and voted Maryland's most valuable lineman following 1980 season . . . roomed all 4 years at Maryland with safety Lloyd Burruss (Kansas City Chiefs) . . . outstanding football, basketball, and track performer for Washington & Lee High Generals in Arlington, Virginia . . . played tight end, middle guard, and kicker in high school . . . lived in San Diego's Clairemont district as youngster . . . resided with his grandfather, who lives in San Diego, through rookie season . . . works for local savings and loan as business developer in offseason . . . married (Diana) . . . lives in Tierrasanta district.

Sievers' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1981	San Diego	16-10	22-276	13.0	3	32
Postseason		2-0	1-13	12.5	0	13

Additional: 1981, 2 kickoff ret., 4 yds., 2.0 avg., 4 long.

Single-game Highs

Receptions—4, vs. Denver, Nov. 29, 1981

Yards receiving—43, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981

Longest reception—32, vs. Oakland, Dec. 21, 1981

TD receptions—1, three times, Last: at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981



CLIFF THRIFT

Middle Linebacker

59

6-2, 232 East Central Oklahoma
Fourth Year Draft 3-'79

Hark work and strong play earned Thrift middle linebacker job at start of 1981 season . . . started first 5 games, making 38 tackles . . . had 1 sack for 1 yard at Cleveland Sept. 7 . . . in middle of 2 big defensive plays in Chargers' 24-10 win over Seattle Oct. 4 . . . stopped Seahawks' David Hughes in two consecutive drives with Chargers up 17-7, first on a fourth-and-goal from the two forcing a Seattle field goal . . . injured elbow in same game on kickoff coverage . . . placed on injured reserve Oct. 27 with hyperextended elbow which required surgery . . . missed remainder of regular season . . . recalled Dec. 31 and played in both postseason contests . . . made 11 tackles against Detroit Sept. 13 and 11 against Seattle Oct. 4 . . . spent first two seasons as backup to Bob Horn and as big force on special teams . . . picked off 1 pass, made 1 sack, and recovered 1 fumble as backup in 1980 . . . Chargers' third-round draft choice and seventy-third player chosen in 1979 NFL draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Clifford Ray Thrift May 3, 1956, in Dallas, Texas . . . had 538 tackles and 29 quarterback sacks in four seasons at East Central Oklahoma . . . Oklahoma small college player of year in 1977 . . . teammate Mark Gastineau was second-round draft pick of New York Jets in 1979 . . . played football for Purcell High Dragons in Purcell, Oklahoma . . . enjoys three-wheeling in spare time . . . married (Clarice) with a son, Gregory (Dec. 10, 1973) and daughter Casey (Oct. 14, 1976) . . . owns home in Tierrasanta district.

Thrift's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/ Losses	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1979	San Diego	16-0	10-4	14	2	0-0	0-0	-	-
1980	San Diego	15-0	20-7	27	1	1-11	1-0	0	-
1981	San Diego	7-5	21-20	41	0	1-1	0-0	-	-
	Totals	38-5	51-31	82	3	2-12	1-0	0	-
	Postseason	5-0	7-1	8	0	0-0	0-0	-	-

Additional: 1979, 1 kickoff ret., 11 yds.

Single-game Highs

Interceptions—1, at Denver, Sept. 21, 1980
Yards returned—0, at Denver, Sept. 21, 1980
Tackles/Assists—11, vs. Detroit, Sept. 13, 1981
QB Sacks—1, two times, Last: at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981



RUSS WASHINGTON

Tackle

70

6-7, 288 Missouri
Fifteenth Year Draft 1A-'68

Made big comeback in 1981 following disabling knee injury that knocked Washington out in the sixth game of 1980 at Oakland . . . started 13 games, sitting out

Weeks 10, 11, and 12 following an injury to other knee against Cincinnati Nov. 8 . . . holds club-records for consecutive games with 178 and consecutive starts with 148 . . . both streaks ended with knee injury in 1980 . . . known as "Rew," for his initials from Russell Eugene Washington . . . fixture in offensive line since 1970 when he switched from defense . . . Pro Bowl player 5 of 6 years from 1975 through 1980 . . . played defensive tackle two seasons; made switch to offense before morning practice at Chargers' University of California at Irvine training camp Aug. 5, 1970 . . . became an immediate standout at right tackle, missing a start in the second

game of the 1970 season with a sore ankle . . . Chargers' lineman of the year and most valuable player, 1973 . . . honored as NFL offensive lineman of year for 1977 in Milwaukee at the 10th annual Wisconsin Sports Awards . . . injury at Oakland in 1980 forced Washington out of first game since joining Chargers as their first of two selections in first round (Jim Hill was other) and the fourth player chosen in the 1968 AFL-NFL draft . . . the Chargers acquired the pick that resulted in Washington's selection by trading quarterback Steve Tensi to Denver Aug. 15, 1967 . . . Washington's 191 games rank eighth among active NFL players behind Gene Upshaw (217), Jan Stenerud (206), Craig Morton (205), Ron Yary (199), Art Shell (199), Elvin Bethea (194), and Harold Jackson (192). COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Russell Eugene Washington Dec. 17, 1946, in Kansas City, Missouri . . . played defensive end, tackle, and fullback at the University of Missouri . . . all-Big 8 for three seasons . . . played in Senior Bowl, Chicago All-Star game and Blue-Grey game . . . played football and basketball and competed in track (high hurdles) for the Southeast High Knights . . . appointed to the San Diego Police Department's reserve officers program . . . aids the Police Department with several teammates in recruitment and community relations . . . also serves as honorary co-chairman, with fellow offensive linemen, for the Children's Hospital 1982 Penny-a-Point campaign . . . certified scuba diver . . . resides in San Diego with favorite offseason residence being the Truk Islands in Micronesia . . . married (Inez) with son, Russell, Jr. (June 22, 1979) and daughter Moria (Jan. 26, 1982).

Washington's Statistics

Games-starts: 1968, 14-12; 1969, 14-13; 1970, 14-13; 1971, 14-14; 1972, 14-14; 1973, 14-14; 1974, 14-14; 1975, 14-14; 1976, 14-14; 1977, 14-14; 1978, 16-16; 1979, 16-16; 1980, 6-6; 1981, 13-13; totals, 191-187

Postseason

Games-starts: 1979, 1-1; 1981, 2-2

Pro Bowl

Games-starts: 1975, 1-1; 1976, 1-0; 1978, 1-0; 1979, 1-1; 1980, 1-1



Washington (left) has played in 191 games.

Sam Stone



ED WHITE

Guard

67

6-2½, 271

California

Fourteenth Year Trade (Minnesota) — '78

"Big Ed" has played in more NFL games, including playoffs, than any other Charger . . . White's distinguished career

has taken him through 211 games, 185 regular-season games, 22 playoff games and 4 Pro Bowl games . . . has missed only one game since joining Chargers . . . sidelined Oct. 8, 1978, against Denver with knee injury . . . represents one of San Diego's best trades in building three-consecutive championship teams . . . came to Chargers from Minnesota July 29, 1978, for running back Rickey Young and has started 63 of 64 regular-season games and 5 postseason games at right guard . . . named AFC Pro Bowl alternate for past two seasons and has been selected to Pro Bowl squad four times, the last following the 1979 season in San Diego . . . strong, mobile athlete and team leader . . . teams with left guard Doug Wilkerson to provide bulkhead of powerful Charger sweeps . . . offensive guard entire professional career after playing middle guard on defense at University of California . . . selected in second round of 1969 AFL-NFL draft by Minnesota and thirty-ninth player chosen in draft . . . humor not lost on White, who once ran onto the field in pregame introductions with jersey on backward.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Edward Alvin White June 4, 1947, in San Diego . . . grew up in Lemon Grove, California, and attended Helix High as freshman before moving to Southern California's Coachella Valley . . . played his college football at University of California where he was consensus all-America as senior in 1968 . . . named to play in Chicago All-Star game, Senior Bowl, Coaches' All-America game, Hula Bowl, and East-West Shrine game . . . won all honors as defensive lineman . . . graduated with degree in landscape architecture . . . played high school football for the Indio High Rajahs in the Coachella Valley where he also hurled the shot 61-6 . . . won NFL wrist-wrestling championship in 1975 and has promoted wrist-wrestling tournaments throughout Midwest . . . does sculpture for NFL Tournament trophies . . . hired to do sculptures for companies such as Nike Shoes and works have been displayed and sold locally . . . works as business officer of local savings and loan . . . lives in La Costa, California . . . married (Joan) with two sons, Timmy (Aug. 12, 1970) and Randy (July 23, 1972) and a daughter, Amy (July 9, 1976).

White's Statistics

Games-starts: 1969, 14-0; 1970, 14-7; 1971, 14-14; 1972, 14-14; 1973, 14-14; 1974, 13-13; 1975, 13-12; 1976, 13-13; 1977, 13-8; 1978, 15-15; 1979, 16-16; 1980, 16-16; 1981, 16-16; totals, 185-158

Additional: 1980, 1 recovered fumble

Postseason

Games-starts: 1969, 3-0; 1970, 1-1; 1971, 1-1; 1972, 3-3; 1974, 3-3; 1975, 1-1; 1976, 3-3; 1977, 2-2; 1979, 1-1; 1980, 2-2; 1981, 2-2; totals, 22-19

Pro Bowl

Games-starts: 1976, 1-1; 1977, 1-0; 1980, 1-0



DOUG WILKERSON

Guard

63

6-3, 254 North Carolina Central
Thirteenth Year Trade (Houston) - '70

The season of 1982 marks Wilkerson's twelfth as a San Diego Charger, second in Charger history to Russ Washington's 15 years . . . as his experience grows, so

does his stature among NFL offensive linemen . . . voted to AFC Pro Bowl squad for second year in a row and made his first start this year . . . named all-AFC First Team by United Press International in 1981 and voted Chargers' lineman of year by his teammates . . . gaining overdue rewards after toiling through many of team's less fruitful years as highly regarded but unrecognized left guard . . . powerful upper-bodied pass protector and open-field blocker can best be seen leading the Chargers' patented end sweeps . . . one of Chargers' four team captains since 1980 . . . has started last 44 regular-season games after missing first four games of 1979 season because of cartilage injury Aug. 26, 1979, that required surgery on left knee . . . Wilkerson injured the knee in the Chargers' final preseason game in Los Angeles and his streak of 114 consecutive starts came to an end . . . despite knee surgery, was healthy and starting in four weeks . . . finished the 1980 season as Pro Bowl performer and joined Seattle's Efen Herrera and Oakland's Dave Dalby and Mike Davis on the annual NFL-United Service Organization tour of U.S. Military installations overseas, the group visiting bases in the Far East that year . . . came to San Diego Dec. 22, 1970, for tight end Willie Frazier in one of club's finest acquisitions . . . replaced Bill Lenkaitis at left guard during first preseason game, 1971 . . . named Chargers' lineman of the year from 1974-1977 . . . Houston's first-round choice in 1970 NFL draft and fourteenth player chosen . . . played defensive end as rookie.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Douglas Wilkerson March 27, 1947, in Fayetteville, North Carolina . . . attended North Carolina Central University as offensive lineman and was named all-National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics in 1968 and 1969 and Little All-America the same years as junior and senior . . . graduated with degree in physical and elementary education . . . played football for the E. E. Smith High Golden Bulls in Fayetteville where he was honored on "Doug Wilkerson Day" April 1, 1981, by the state of North Carolina . . . Chargers' candidate in 1975 Dodge Man-of-the-Year balloting . . . Chargers' winner of Players' Association's Whizzer White Award . . . went to work this year as Director of Membership Development for the San Diego Chamber of Commerce . . . married (Glyn), with two daughters, Melanie (Sept. 4, 1967) and Gia (Feb. 13, 1971) . . . resides in Spring Valley, California.

Wilkerson's Statistics

Games-starts: 1970, 9-0; 1971, 14-14; 1972, 14-14; 1973, 14-14; 1974, 14-14; 1975, 14-14; 1976, 14-14; 1977, 14-14; 1978, 16-16; 1979, 12-12; 1980, 16-16; 1981, 16-16, totals, 167-158.

Additional: 1971, 1 kickoff return, 0 yards; 4 recovered fumbles; 1977, 2 recovered fumbles; 1979, 1 recovered fumble; 1981, 1 recovered fumble.

Postseason

Games-starts: 1979, 1-1; 1980, 2-2; 1981, 2-2.

Pro Bowl

Games-starts: 1981, 1-0.



CLARENCE WILLIAMS 40

Running Back

5-10, 185
Sixth Year

South Carolina
Draft 5A-'77

Versatile Charger back who has been called upon to handle both backfield positions . . . solid fundamentalist, fearless blocker who has fumbled once in 394 rushing attempts and 93 pass receptions . . . able back who can run inside or out and make big catch . . . came off shoulder injury from 1980 and saw spot duty behind Chuck Muncie and James Brooks . . . caught 12 passes for 108 yards and 1 touchdown . . . had biggest game of season against Seattle Oct. 4 when he caught 10 passes for 89 yards and carried the ball 12 times . . . set Charger record for 12 rushing touchdowns in 1979 before Muncie scored 19 in 1981 . . . also set record with 4 rushing touchdowns against Buffalo Sept. 16, 1979, which Muncie tied in 1981 . . . also rushed for 157 yards in same game, big day in his career . . . was Chargers' first choice in fifth round of 1977 NFL draft and 124th player selected . . . suffered knee injury in preseason scrimmage at Irvine against Dallas July 19, 1978 . . . underwent surgery July 31, 1978, and missed first 6 games of season.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Clarence Williams Jan. 25, 1955, in Oakley, South Carolina . . . attended the University of South Carolina and gained 2,311 yards rushing and scored 16 touchdowns in three varsity seasons . . . played his high school football for the Berkeley High Stags in Moncks Corner, neighboring Oakley . . . married (Sherry) with daughters Kendra (Aug. 15, 1974) and Charece (Jan. 29, 1980) and son Clarence II (May 7, 1981) . . . resides in San Diego.

Rushing

Year	Team	G-S	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	No. Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1977	San Diego	14-0	50-215	4.3	2	46	3-20	6.7	0	9
1978	San Diego	10-1	27-76	2.8	0	12	1-17	17.0	0	17
1979	San Diego	16-16	200-752	3.8	12	55t	51-352	6.9	0	14
1980	San Diego	13-8	97-258	2.7	2	13	26-230	8.8	1	26
1981	San Diego	14-0	20-26	1.3	0	6	12-108	9.0	1	15
	Totals	67-25	400-1327	3.3	16	55t	93-727	7.8	2	26
	Postseason	4-0	11-30	2.7	1	8	4-30	7.5	0	12

Additional: 1977, 1 punt return, 0 yards; 24 kickoff returns, 481 yards, 20.0 average, 32 long; 1978, 6 kickoff returns, 143 yards, 23.8 average, 33 long; 1979, 1 kickoff return, 19 yards; 2 recovered fumbles; 1981, 4 kickoff returns, 47 yards, 11.8 average, 23 long

Pass Receiving

Single-game Highs

Rushing attempts—18, vs. Buffalo, Sept. 16, 1979
Yards rushing—157, vs. Buffalo, Sept. 16, 1979
Longest run—55t, vs. Buffalo, Sept. 16, 1979
TD rushing—4 vs. Buffalo, Sept. 16, 1979
Receptions—10, vs. Seattle, Oct. 4, 1981
Yards receiving—89, vs. Seattle, Oct. 4, 1981
Longest reception—26 at Oakland, Oct. 12, 1980



JEFF WILLIAMS

Guard-Tackle

72

6-4, 260

Rhode Island

Fifth Year

Trade (Washington) - '81

Joined Chargers in trade which sent Wilbur Young from San Diego to Washington May 15, 1981 . . . played in 11 games in 1981 as backup offensive line-

man, seeing most of his action on kicking teams . . . suffered groin injury and placed on injured reserve following game against Denver Nov. 29, 1981 . . . solid, quick-footed lineman who started 38 of last 39 games for Redskins at right guard but also can play tackle . . . Los Angeles Rams' second selection in fifth round of 1977 NFL draft and the 134th player chosen . . . played one game as rookie, sustained knee injury and missed remainder of season . . . traded prior to 1978 season to Redskins with guard Donnie Hickman, a 1979 third-round draft choice, and 1980 second- and fifth-round selections for kick returner Eddie Brown and a seventh-round draft choice in 1981 . . . did not play for Redskins until tenth week of 1978 season, replacing injured George Starke at tackle . . . started at right guard in 1979.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Jeffrey Scott Williams April 15, 1955, in Gloucester, Massachusetts . . . started last three seasons at tackle for Rhode Island and was named all-New England and all-East as senior in 1976 . . . lettered four years, first year as tight end . . . played tight end and defensive end for the Gloucester High Fishermen . . . Massachusetts state champion with best time of :14.3 for 120-yard high hurdles . . . single . . . resides in Fairfax, Virginia.

Williams' Statistics

Games-starts: 1977, 1-0; 1978, 7-7; 1979, 16-16; 1980, 16-15; 1981, 11-0; Totals, 51-38



MIKE WILLIAMS

Cornerback

29

5-10, 179

Louisiana State

Eighth Year

Draft 1B - '75

Groin injury sustained in Week 10 against Cincinnati Nov. 8, 1981 sidelined Williams for two games and forced him to miss two other starts . . . intercepted three passes

and made 40 tackles, 31 unassisted . . . Williams has 22 career interceptions, tied for third with Joe Beauchamp among Chargers' all-time interceptors . . . ahead are Dick Harris (29) and Kenny Graham (25) . . . quick cover man has started on right side since his rookie season, starting 92 of the 98 regular-season games in which he has played . . . Chargers' second choice in first round for 1975 draft and the twenty-second player selected . . . second back in draft behind Denver's Louie Wright, seventeenth player chosen.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Mikell Herman Williams Nov. 22, 1953, in Covington, Louisiana . . . one of top defensive backs in country as senior at Louisiana State in 1974, earning The Sporting News and Time Magazine all-America honors and playing in East-West Shrine game, Senior Bowl, and Hula Bowl . . . LSU most-valuable player in 1974 . . . played saxophone in Covington High Lions' band as freshman and turned out for football as sophomore . . . resided in Missouri City, Texas, a suburb of Houston, before making home in San Diego following 1981 season . . . married

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(Wanda) with daughter Michelle (Dec. 13, 1972) and sons Koree (Jan. 20, 1977) and Kyle (Dec. 5, 1981).

Williams' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	Int.-Yds.	TD	Long
1975	San Diego	14-14	62-12	74	4	4-67	0	40
1976	San Diego	14-11	39-11	50	0	4-76	0	35
1977	San Diego	10-10	30-2	32	0	3-36	0	36
1978	San Diego	16-15	33-15	48	2	3-23	0	23
1979	San Diego	16-16	42-19	61	0	4-55	0	50
1980	San Diego	14-14	32-11	43	0	1-0	0	0
1981	San Diego	14-12	31-9	40	0	3-0	0	0
	Totals	98-92	269-79	348	6	22-257	0	50
	Postseason	5-5	15-9	24	0	1-0	0	0

Additional: 1976-78, 7 punt ret., 23 yds., 3.3 avg., 0 TD, 15 long.

Single-game Highs

Pass interceptions—1, 22 times, Last: vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981

Yards interceptions—50, at Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979

Longest return—50, at Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979



KELLEN WINSLOW

Tight End

80

6-5½, 242

Fourth Year

Missouri

Draft 1—'79

Winslow's size and power coupled with his wide receiver hands and speed has forced a redefinition of the NFL tight end position . . . ability to lineup in slot, out wide, in the backfield, or go in motion has resulted in Winslow's three-year pass-catching totals as the best in NFL history . . . his 202 receptions over the three years of career set an NFL record despite a rookie season of just 25 catches; Winslow's first year ended in the seventh game with a broken bone in his right leg . . . led NFL in receptions for second year in a row in 1981, catching 88 passes, one shy of NFL record for tight ends set in 1980 by Winslow . . . 1,075 yards receiving enabled Kellen to join Wes Chandler (1,142 yards) and Charlie Joiner (1,188 yards) as only the second trio of teammate receivers to catch passes for more than 1,000 yards in a season . . . Winslow, Joiner, and John Jefferson became the first in 1980 . . . set team record and tied NFL record by catching 5 touchdown passes in Chargers' 55-21 victory in Oakland Nov. 22 . . . Winslow tied record set by Bob Shaw of Chicago Cardinals versus Baltimore Oct. 2, 1950 . . . caught 13 passes twice during year, tying Lance Alworth's club record set at Boston Nov. 10, 1963, and setting NFL divisional playoff record in Miami Jan. 2, 1982 . . . named NFL All-Pro, as selected by Associated Press, Newspaper Enterprise Association, Professional Football Writers of America, The Sporting News, and Pro Football Weekly . . . named All-AFC by United Press International and College and Pro Football News Weekly . . . voted AFC Pro Bowl starter for second straight year and earned offensive-player-of-the-game honors with 6 catches for 86 yards . . . also named by San Diego Hall of Champions as the City's Professional Co-Star of Year with Dan Fouts . . . one of the most important acquisitions the Chargers have made in the last several years . . . team President Gene Klein consummated a trade with Cleveland one minute before the 15-minute deadline in first round of 1979 NFL draft . . . the Chargers gave Cleveland their twentieth and forty-seventh choices in the draft for Cleveland's thirteenth selection, and then chose Winslow.

1979 A brilliant rookie season came to an end in the seventh game, when Winslow, leading the team with 25 receptions, suffered a broken bone in his right leg and was lost for the year.

1980 Came of age in second game of season against Oakland . . . caught 9 passes for 132 yards and his 25-yard touchdown reception in third quarter tied game 17-17 and set stage for exciting 30-24 overtime victory by San Diego . . . had career high 171 yards receiving on 10 catches in final regular-season game, a 26-17 triumph over Pittsburgh that gave Chargers second straight AFC West title . . . Winslow's 89 catches bettered Chargers record of 73 by Lance Alworth in 1966, and was fifth-highest one-season total in NFL history . . . earned consensus all-Pro and all-AFC honors and was starting tight end for AFC Pro Bowl squad.

1981 Winslow's record-setting performance at Oakland Nov. 22—13 catches, 5 for touchdowns—set Chargers record for most points in game with 30 . . . Winslow ended season with 88 catches, catching at least 2 passes in each regular and postseason game . . . averaged 7 receptions over final 6 regular-season games and both postseason games . . . Winslow's ability and desire never was more evident than in Chargers' playoff victory in Miami . . . bruised and exhausted, Winslow was helped from the field several times, only to return . . . blocked 43-yard field goal attempt by Miami's Uwe von Schamann with :04 remaining to send the game into overtime . . . scored only Charger touchdown in 27-7 loss in Cincinnati in AFC Championship on 33-yard screen play.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Kellen Boswell Winslow Nov. 5, 1957, in St. Louis, Missouri . . . caught 71 passes for 1,089 yards and 10 touchdowns in four seasons at Missouri . . . led Tigers with 29 catches, 16.5 average, and 6 touchdowns in 1978 . . . consensus all-America and played in Liberty Bowl, East-West Shrine game and Senior Bowl . . . led East-West receivers with 6 catches for 125 yards . . . grew up across Mississippi River in East St. Louis, Illinois, and did not play football for East St. Louis High Flyers until senior year . . . threw discus 172 feet as high schooler . . . likes to play chess . . . was selection on Walter Camp Foundation all-America squad in 1979 . . . commissioner of Kellen Winslow Flag Football League started in San Diego in 1982 offseason . . . member of San Diego Police Department's reserve program dealing with recruitment and community relations . . . married (Katrina) and resides in Tierrasanta district of San Diego.

Winslow's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1979	San Diego	7-1	25-255	10.2	2	30
1980	San Diego	16-11	89-1290	14.5	9	65
1981	San Diego	16-16	88-1075	12.2	10	67½
	Totals	39-28	202-2620	13.0	21	67½
	Postseason	4-4	20-260	13.0	2	33½

Additional: 1981, 2 pass attempts, 0 complete, 2 recovered fumbles

Winslow Game by Game in 1981

Date	Opponent	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
*Sept. 7	at Cleveland	2-23	11.5	0	14
Sept. 13	Detroit	3-35	11.7	1	15
Sept. 20	at Kansas City	6-96	16.0	1	24
Oct. 4	at Denver	10-106	10.6	1	21
Oct. 11	Minnesota	3-33	11.0	0	22
Oct. 18	at Baltimore	4-64	16.0	0	28
Oct. 25	at Chicago	4-78	19.5	0	31
Nov. 1	Kansas City	6-38	8.3	0	14
Nov. 8	Cincinnati	3-33	11.0	0	17
*Nov. 16	at Seattle	7-106	15.1	0	31
Nov. 22	at Oakland	13-144	11.1	5	29
Nov. 29	Denver	3-18	6.0	0	22
Dec. 6	Buffalo	6-126	21.0	1	67½
Dec. 13	at Tampa Bay	8-55	6.9	0	16
*Dec. 21	Oakland	3-38	12.7	0	19
Playoffs					
Jan. 2	at Miami	13-166	12.8	1	31
Jan. 10	at Cincinnati	3-47	15.7	1	33½
*Monday Night					

Additional Postseason: 1980, 1 pass attempt, 1 complete, 26 yards

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Single-game Highs

Receptions—13, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
Yards receiving—171, vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980
Longest reception—671 vs. Buffalo, Dec. 6, 1981
TD receiving—5, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981

Postseason

Receptions—13, at Miami (OT), Jan. 2, 1982
Yards receiving—166, at Miami (OT), Jan. 2, 1982
Longest reception—331, at Cincinnati, Jan. 10, 1982

100 Yards Receiving

Date	Opponent	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Sept. 14, 1980	vs. Oakland	9-132	14.7	1	251
Oct. 19, 1980	vs. N.Y. Giants	6-102	17.0	0	31
Oct. 26, 1980	at Dallas	5-110	22.0	2	65
Nov. 2, 1980	at Cincinnati	9-153	17.0	1	47
Dec. 22, 1980	vs. Pittsburgh	10-171	17.1	0	59
Sept. 27, 1981	at Denver	10-106	10.6	1	21
Nov. 16, 1981	at Seattle	7-106	15.1	0	31
Nov. 22, 1981	at Oakland	13-144	11.1	5	291
Dec. 6, 1981	vs. Buffalo	6-126	21.0	1	671
*Jan. 2, 1982	at Miami (OT)	13-166	12.8	1	31

*AFC Playoff

Winslow's Record by Opponents

Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
Baltimore	1-1	4-64	16.0	28	0
*Buffalo	4-2	12-176	17.6	671	2
Chicago	1-1	4-78	19.5	31	0
*Cincinnati	3-3	15-233	15.5	47	2
Cleveland	1-1	2-23	11.5	14	0
Dallas	1-1	5-110	22.0	65	2
Denver	5-3	24-269	11.2	41	1
Detroit	1-1	3-35	11.7	15	1
Kansas City	4-4	23-265	11.5	24	3
*Miami	2-2	20-219	10.9	31	1
Minnesota	1-1	3-33	11.0	22	0
New England	1-0	2-20	10.0	19	0
New York Giants	1-1	6-102	17.0	31	0
*Oakland	6-3	39-474	12.1	29	7
Philadelphia	1-1	6-89	14.8	24	2
Pittsburgh	1-1	10-171	17.1	59	0
San Francisco	1-1	7-72	10.3	211	1
Seattle	6-3	28-350	12.5	35	1
Tampa Bay	1-1	8-55	6.9	16	0
Washington	1-1	1-42	42.0	42	0
*Totals	43-32	222-2880	13.0	671	23

*Includes playoffs



JOHN WOODCOCK

Defensive End

90

6-3, 255

Hawaii

Sixth Year

Trade (Detroit)—'81

Acquired Sept. 15, 1981, from Detroit for Chargers twelfth-round draft choice in 1982 . . . had been out of football for 11 months after leaving Detroit in a salary

dispute . . . practiced just 2½ weeks following his layoff, was activated prior to fifth game against Seattle Oct. 4, and came on to start the 12 remaining regular seasons games and 2 postseason games . . . quick, hard-driving right end recorded 9 sacks for 67 yards in losses, second to Gary Johnson's 10 sacks despite missing first four games . . . came on strong in Chargers' playoff drive when team won 4 of last 5 games . . . 7½ sacks for 56 yards in last five games of the season . . . tackled opponents 56 times, forced 2 fumbles and recovered two others in 1981 . . . last game with Detroit Oct. 26, 1980, at Kansas City in Week 8 . . . had started first 8 games on 1980 and collected 3½ sacks for 29 yards with 17 tackles . . . made big comeback in 1980 after suffering back injury in 1979 preseason which required surgery July 22, 1979 . . . sat out all of '79 . . . had not missed a game prior to injury . . . had biggest year of career in 1978 as part of Detroit's "Silver Rush", recording 10½ sacks, second on team to Al Baker's 23 sacks . . . started 16 games making 99 tackles . . . came to Lions as their second choice in third round of 1976 NFL draft and seventy-sixth player chosen overall . . . spent first two seasons

as special teams player and part-time starter, starting 4 games in 1976 and 1977.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born John Maurer Woodcock March 19, 1954, in Eureka, California . . . started college career at University of New Mexico, where he played as freshman and earning all-Western Athletic Conference honors as sophomore . . . transferred to University of Hawaii, where he finished college career by playing in East-West Shrine game and Hula Bowl . . . grew up in Fremont, California, where he played football, soccer, and baseball for the Washington High Huskies . . . played offensive and defensive line on football team, was all-league goalie on soccer squad, and was catcher and teammate with pitcher Dennis Eckersley (Boston Red Sox) in baseball . . . spent three offseasons prior to 1982 and layoff in 1980 as substitute teacher in Fremont and Bay Area high schools . . . enjoys camping and vegetable gardening with wife Sharon and daughter Holly (Oct. 14, 1978) . . . resides in Fremont, California.

Woodcock's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/ Losses	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1976	Detroit	14-4		35	0	1-7	0-0	—	—
1977	Detroit	14-4		13	1	3-23	0-0	—	—
1978	Detroit	14-14		66	4	10½-70	0-0	—	—
1979	Detroit	Did not play; injured back							
1980	Detroit	8-8		10	1	3½-29	0-0	—	—
1981	San Diego	12-12	31-25	56	2	9-67	0-0	—	—
	Totals	62-43		180	8	27-196	0-0	—	—
	Postseason	2-2	3-3	6	0	0-0	0-0	—	—

Additional: 1977, 1 kickoff ret., 12 yds.



WILBUR YOUNG Defensive Tackle

99

6-6, 290

William Penn, Iowa

Twelfth Year

Waivers—'81

Acquired on waivers from Washington Nov. 17, 1981, after Chargers had traded Young to the Redskins for offensive lineman Jeff Williams May 15, 1981 . . .

a shoulder injury forced Young onto injured reserve prior to first game in 1981 . . . activated for fifth game against San Francisco in Washington . . . played in following 7 games but saw limited action before being waived . . . started first game with San Diego collecting 6 tackles and 1 sack for 11 yards in big 55-21 win in Oakland Nov. 22 . . . ended season with 15 tackles and 1 sack with San Diego . . . started season finale against Oakland Monday, Dec. 21; started 3 games and had 18 tackles and 2 sacks for the Chargers in 1980 . . . injury that sidelined Louie Kelcher in 1979 revitalized the career of amiable Big Wilbur, who became a star in Chargers' defense at left tackle in 1979 . . . led team with career-high 14 quarterback sacks, was chosen by teammates as most valuable lineman and was all-AFC defensive choice on team chosen by United Press International . . . waived by Chargers Aug. 29, 1978, after coming to San Diego from Kansas City for wide receiver Larry Dorsey May 3, 1978, second day of NFL draft . . . a knee injury to John Lee in opening game of season Sept. 2 at Seattle opened a spot on roster and Young was re-signed Sept. 4 . . . scored touchdown on three-yard return of Pat Haden's fumble versus Los Angeles Oct. 21, 1979, and tackled Atlanta's Steve Bartkowski for safety Dec. 2, 1979 . . . first player chosen in second round by Kansas City in 1971 AFL-NFL draft and thirty-ninth player overall.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Wilbur Eugene Young, Jr., April 20, 1949, in New York City . . . attended William Penn College, Oskaloosa, Iowa, and was a National Association of Intercollegiate

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Athletics second-team all-America and all-Iowa Conference performer his senior year . . . played football for the James Monroe High Eagles, in the Bronx . . . has tailored many of his own clothes . . . single . . . resides in Kansas City, Missouri.

Young's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/Losses	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1971	Kansas City	13-1			0	3-	0-0	-	-
1972	Kansas City	14-13			0	4-	0-0	-	-
1973	Kansas City	13-11			1	8-	0-0	-	-
1974	Kansas City	14-14			0	7½-	1-52	52t	1
1975	Kansas City	13-11			1	12½-73	0-0	-	-
1976	Kansas City	14-14			0	1½-9	0-0	-	-
1977	Kansas City	13-11			2	5½-29	0-0	-	-
1978	San Diego	10-2	6-12	18	3	2½-31	0-0	-	-
1979	San Diego	16-16	36-33	69	3	14-101	0-0	-	-
1980	San Diego	12-3	12-6	18	1	2-14	0-0	-	-
1981	Washington	7-3	9-1	10	0	0-0	-	-	-
1981	San Diego	5-2	11-4	15	0	1-11	0-0	-	-
Totals		144-101			11	61½-	1-52	52t	1
Postseason		6-1	5-7	12	0	0-0	0-0	-	-

Additional: 1975, 6 yd. fumble ret.; 1979, 3 yd. fumble ret.; 1 TD; tackled QB in endzone for safety.



HAROLD JACKSON Wide Receiver

86

5-10, 175 Jackson State, Miss.
Fifteenth Year Free Agent - '82

Leader among active NFL players in total receptions with 571 . . . needs 19 receptions to surpass Fred Biletnikoff and move into fourth place on all-time reception list

. . . his 10,246 total yards receiving places him third on the all-time list, bettered by Don Maynard (11,834) and just 20 yards shy of Lance Alworth (10,266) . . . signed by Chargers as free agent July 15, 1982, after four seasons with New England Patriots . . . had 39 receptions for 17.2-yard average in 1981 . . . caught 156 passes for 20.4 average and 18 TD's with Patriots . . . came to New England Aug. 16, 1978, in trade that sent 1979 third-round and 1980 fourth-round choice to the Los Angeles Rams . . . played with Los Angeles for two games of rookie season in 1968 and spent remainder of the season on the taxi squad . . . traded to Philadelphia in 1969 . . . led NFL in receptions in 1972 before being traded back to the Rams in deal that sent Roman Gabriel to the Eagles . . . has had three seasons of more than 1,000 yards receiving, 1969, '72, and '79 . . . had string of 167 consecutive starts broken when Patriots opened in double tight end alignment Nov. 10, 1980, versus Houston . . . Jackson played every offensive down of game except for the opening play . . . has string of 190 consecutive games . . . with Charlie Joiner, the Chargers have two players with 1,066 career receptions for 17.6 average, 115 touchdowns, and 29 years of NFL experience . . . selected to Pro Bowl teams after 1969, '72, '73, '75, and '77 seasons.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Harold Leon Jackson Jan. 6, 1946 in Forrest County, Mississippi . . . played football for the Rowan High Roadrunners of Hattiesburg, Mississippi . . . set school record in receiving at Jackson State . . . received a bachelor of arts degree in secondary education . . . competed in track with best time of

:09.3 in 100-yard dash . . . single . . . lives in Los Angeles during off-season . . . sells real estate.

Jackson's Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1968	Los Angeles	2-0	0-0	—	—	—
1969	Philadelphia	14-14	65-1116	17.2	9	65
1970	Philadelphia	14-14	41-613	15.0	5	79
1971	Philadelphia	14-14	47-716	15.2	3	69
1972	Philadelphia	14-14	62-1048	16.9	4	77
1973	Los Angeles	14-14	40-874	21.9	13	69
1974	Los Angeles	14-14	30-514	17.1	5	44
1975	Los Angeles	14-14	43-786	18.3	7	54
1976	Los Angeles	14-14	39-751	19.3	5	65
1977	Los Angeles	14-14	48-666	13.9	6	58
1978	New England	16-16	37-743	20.1	6	57
1979	New England	16-16	45-1013	22.5	7	59
1980	New England	16-15	35-737	21.1	5	40
1981	New England	16-15	39-669	17.2	0	45
Totals		192-188	571-10246	17.9	75	79
Postseason		9-9	22-529	24.1	4	73t

Additional: 1969, 2 rushing att., 10 yds.; 1970, 1 rushing att., —5 yds.; 1971 5 rushing att., 41 yds., 2 kickoff ret., 48 yds., 28 long; 1972, 9 rushing att., 76 yds.; 1973, 2 rushing att., —8 yds.; 1974, 1 rushing att., 4 yds.; 1976, 1 rushing att., 15 yds.; 1977, 1 rushing att., 6 yds.; 1978, 1 rushing att., 7 yds.; 1979, 3 rushing att., 12 yds., 1 pass att., 0 yds.; 1980, 5 rushing att., 37 yds., 2 pass att., 2 comp., 35 yds., 23 long; 1981, 1 pass att., 0 yds.; **Rushing totals**, 31 att., 195 yds.; **Passing totals**, 5-2-0, 35 yds., 23 long.

Single-game highs

Receptions—9, at Dallas, Sept. 9, 1972.

Yards Receiving—238, vs. Dallas, Oct. 14, 1973.

Longest Reception—79, at New York Giants, Oct. 11, 1970.

TD Receptions—4, vs. Dallas, Oct. 14, 1973.

Postseason

Receptions—6, vs. Dallas, Dec. 19, 1976.*

Yards Receiving—139, at Minnesota, Dec. 29, 1974**

Longest Reception—73t, at Minnesota, Dec. 29, 1974**

TD Receptions—1, four times, last: vs. Houston, Dec. 31, 1978.*

*Divisional Playoff

**Championship Game



King led the Chargers with 165 tackles in 1981.

Chris Colter

Drafted Rookies



7—HOLLIS HALL Cornerback

5-9, 163

Clemson

Starting left cornerback on Clemson's national championship team in 1981 . . . quick, compact player who led team with 11 passes broken up . . . "We thought he would go higher; we tried to trade up in the draft to get him," says Chargers' head coach Don Coryell . . . picked off 5 passes for 55 yards and recorded 53 tackles in 1981 . . . had 8 interceptions and 103 tackles in his career since moving to defense in 1979 . . . played four years at Clemson; was wide receiver freshman year . . . switched to defense in spring, 1979, and became starter with seven games remaining 1980 . . . 188th player in NFL draft and Chargers first choice.

PERSONAL Born Hollis Darrell Hall May 19, 1960, in Seneca, South Carolina . . . played football and baseball for the Seneca High Bobcats . . . tailback, who gained over 1,600 yards his senior year . . . nicknamed "Wood" as in "Hollywood" for his demeanor on the high school playing field . . . played outfield in baseball . . . administrative management major at Clemson with two semesters remaining to graduate.

Hall's Statistics

Year	G	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1979	12	3-5	8	2-0	0	0
1980	10	30-10	40	1-0	0	0
1981	11	53-41	94	5-55	28	0
Totals		86-56	142	8-55	28	0



8—MAURY BUFORD Punter

6-1, 180

Texas Tech

"He was our top-rated punter in the draft," said head coach Don Coryell . . . comes to Chargers with impressive four-year credentials . . . ended senior year with 44.8-yard average on 78 punts; had fifth highest average in National Collegiate Athletic Association in 1981, and earned berth in Blue-Gray and Senior Bowl games . . . career average of 43.2 yards on 293 punts . . . only punter to come out of college in 1982 ranked in top 20 in each of four years . . . highest career punting average of any college senior this year . . . all-Southwest Conference . . . led NCAA in punting as freshman in 1978 with 44.1-yard average . . . first freshman to lead NCAA in punting in 35 years . . . most memorable game was first in college career against University of Southern California . . . Buford, who never had been west of Lubbock, Texas, won admiration of big crowd in Los Angeles Coliseum, backing up the Trojans all afternoon with 10 punts that averaged 46 yards . . . kicked 20 punts out of bounds inside the 20-yard line and 8 out inside the 10-yard line as senior . . . career long of 75 yards against Texas A&M in 1978 . . . academic all-America in 1979 . . . 215th player chosen in draft.

PERSONAL Born Maury Anthony Buford Feb. 18, 1960, in Mount Pleasant, Texas . . . participated in football, baseball and track for the Mt. Pleasant High Tigers . . . starting defensive back in high school as well as top pitcher on state 3A championship team

... will take business administration degree from Texas Tech ...
 avid golfer ... single ... resides in Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

Buford's Statistics

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	NCAA Rank
1978	71-3131	44.1	1
1979	70-2947	42.1	13
1980	74-3099	41.9	17
1981	78-3495	44.8	5
Totals	293-12772	43.2	



9 — WARREN LYLES

Defensive Tackle

6-1, 261 Alabama

Four-year letterman at nose guard ... shared starting duties first two years; earned the position outright his junior and senior seasons ... contributed 176 career tackles, including 23 tackles for 99 yards

in losses ... "He has extreme quickness and he's very, very strong," said head coach Don Coryell ... recorded 50 tackles and 11 tackles for losses in 1981 (Alabama does not record sacks) ... voted most valuable player in 1981 Cotton Bowl against Texas ... earned all-Southeastern Conference honors and played in East-West Shrine game as senior ... 1981 team captain ... played on 1978 and 1979 national championship teams ... played in 1979 Sugar Bowl against Arkansas, and 1980 Cotton Bowl against Baylor ... redshirted as freshman in 1977 ... 246th player in draft. **PERSONAL** Born Warren Dennison Lyles July 2, 1959, in Birmingham, Alabama ... earned all-America honors as defensive end and fullback senior year for the Pinson Valley High Indians ... made 97 tackles and rushed for 927 yards as fullback in 1979 ... earned two letters in football, one in wrestling, and two in track in high school ... has one semester remaining before earning public relations degree ... married (Katrissa) and resides in Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Hall's Statistics

Year	Tackles	Tackles-Losses
1978	37	4-22
1979	28	4-16
1980	61	4-22
1981	50	11-39
Totals	176	23-99



10 — ANDRE YOUNG

Safety

5-11½, 196 Louisiana Tech

All-Southland Conference three years at three different positions ... finished career at strong safety, making 4 interceptions and 73 tackles, earning all-conference honors and being named

all-Louisiana first team strong safety by Louisiana sports despite just one year at position ... intercepted three passes in season's final game against Arkansas State ... broke up 10 passes in 1981, tops on team ... played four years at Louisiana Tech, the first two as 194-pound defensive end ... earned all-conference honors as sophomore, accumulating 66 tackles and 5 sacks for 42 yards in losses ... earned similar honors in 1980 after moving to linebacker ... had 109 tackles with 1 sack and 2 interceptions

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... named team captain for 1981 ... 273rd player selected in 1982 NFL draft.

PERSONAL Born Andre Benoise Young Nov. 22, 1960, in Monroe, Louisiana ... resides in West Monroe, where he played football for West Monroe High Rebels ... physical therapy major at Louisiana Tech with 2 quarters needed for degree ... works with elderly in school training program ... single.

Young's Statistics

Year	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Int.-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.
1979	49-17	66	1-0	5-42
1980	56-53	109	2-1	1-10
1981	43-30	73	4-33	0-0
Totals	148-100	248	7-34	6-52



11—ANTHONY WATSON Defensive Back

6-1, 200 New Mexico State

Three-time, second-team all-Missouri Valley Conference free safety ... started four years for the Aggies, leading team with 109 tackles as freshman ... "He's got real fine ability and he's extremely smart," said Chargers coach Don Coryell ... 7 interceptions and 392 tackles in career, nearly 100 tackles a season ... accorded all-America honorable mention as senior by Playboy Magazine ... concluded career by ranking fifth in career interception yardage for New Mexico State with 138 yards ... 90-yard interception return for touchdown against North Texas State in 1980 tied school record for longest interception return ... team's player of the year as junior in 1980 ... 299th player selected in 1982 NFL draft.

PERSONAL Born Anthony Mark Watson Nov 9, 1959, in Pampa, Texas ... raised in nearby Panhandle, Texas, where he played football and basketball for the Panhandle High Panthers ... acquired nickname "Woodstock" from college teammates who said that when Watson took off his helmet, his hair looked like the hair of Woodstock, the Peanuts cartoon character ... collects Woodstock, memorabilia ... finance major with two semesters needed for degree ... single ... resides in Panhandle, Texas.

Watson's Statistics

Year	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Int.-Yds.	Long	TD
1978	60-49	109	1-28	28	0
1979	57-41	98	2-0	0	0
1980	58-44	102	3-92	90	1
1981	55-38	93	1-14	14	0
Totals	220-172	392	7-138	90	1

Important Dates

July 5—24-hour waivers period begins.

July 24—Rookies report.

Aug. 1—Veterans report.

Aug. 16—First preseason game.

Aug. 21—Second preseason game.

Aug. 24—Rosters reduced to 60 players.

Aug. 28—Third preseason game.

Aug. 31—Rosters reduced to 50 players.

Sept. 4—Fourth preseason game.

Sept. 6—Rosters reduced to 45 players.

Oct. 19—NFL trading deadline.

Free Agents and First-Year Players



RICHARD ACKERMAN



BOBBY DUCKWORTH



ANDREW GISSINGER

Richard Ackerman • 1

Defensive Tackle • 6-4 • 255 • Memphis State

PRO Signed by Chargers as a rookie free agent prior to 1981 training camp . . . placed on injured reserve Aug. 25, following third preseason game with neck and elbow injuries.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Richard Carl Ackerman June 16, 1959, in La Grange, Illinois . . . lettered and started last three years at Memphis State . . . played football, basketball, baseball, and wrestled for the Glenbard North High Panthers in Carol Stream, Illinois, suburb of Chicago.

Jeff Allen • 2

Cornerback • 5-11½ • 185 • California-Davis

PRO Miami Dolphins' first selection in eighth round of 1980 NFL collegiate draft . . . played in all 16 games on special teams and "nickle" situations in 1980 . . . recorded 19 tackles . . . waived on cut to 60 players Aug. 18, 1981, . . . played 1981 season with Toronto Argonauts and British Columbia Lions of Canadian League.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Jeffrey Allen July 18, 1957, in Richmond, Indiana . . . earned Kodak Coaches all-America honors in Division II in 1979 for the University of California at Davis Aggies . . . returned 3 interceptions for touchdowns in 1979, setting Far West Conference record . . . 10 career interceptions at Davis . . . played football for the Cordova High Lancers in Rancho Cordova, California . . . attends Davis in the offseason, majoring in economics . . . married (Melissa) and resides in Davis, California.

Games-Starts: 1980, 16-0.

Ned Armour • R

Wide Receiver • 6-1 • 185 • San Diego State

PRO Wide receiver with the San Diego Sharks in 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Talmadge Austin Armour March 6, 1958, in Indianapolis, Indiana . . . grew up in San Diego, attending Morse High, Mesa Junior College, and San Diego State University . . . played one year of college football in 1976 at Mesa as defensive back . . . track star at San Diego State, placing third in National Collegiate Athletic Association final with 26-5 long jump in 1979 . . . ran 110 high hurdles in :14.01 . . . also had personal best of 51-1 triple jump . . . San Diego Section champion in 1975 in the long jump and 120 high hurdles for the Morse High Tigers . . . played defensive back two years in high school . . . single . . . resides in San Diego.

Mike Back • R

Defensive Back • 5-10 • 170 • Evangel, Missouri

PRO Played 1981 season with Shreveport Steamers of the American Football Association.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Michael James Back April 3, 1959, in Cincinnati, Ohio . . . attended Evangel College, Springfield, Missouri, and started 4 seasons at cornerback . . . ended college career in 1980 with career total of 183 tackles, 10 interceptions, and 28 passes broken up . . . joined beginning football program at Evangel in 1977 . . . team had 10-32 record in four years . . .

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physical studies major . . . played football for the Anderson High Redskins in Cincinnati . . . single . . . resides in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Gordon Banks • 3

Wide Receiver • 5-10 • 175 • Stanford

PRO Joined New Orleans as free agent in 1980 and played in seven games on special teams . . . played in six games in 1981, catching 2 passes for 18 yards for Saints.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Gordon Gerald Banks March 12, 1958, in Los Angeles . . . competed four years in football and track at Stanford University . . . caught 15 passes for 140 yards and 3 touchdowns, rushed 18 times for 60 yards and 2 touchdowns, and returned 13 kickoffs for 20.7-yard average as junior, 1978 . . . caught 6 passes for 99 yards and one touchdown as senior . . . played opposite all-American Ken Margerum as junior and senior . . . also ran track with bests of :10.4 in 100 meters, :20.5 in 200 meters, and ran on school-record :39.7 400-meter relay with present NFL players James Lofton and Darrin Nelson . . . received degree in political science . . . competed in football and track for Loyola High Cubs in Los Angeles . . . all-American halfback as junior and senior on teams which compiled 23-1 record and named national prep champions in 1975 . . . single . . . resides in Los Angeles.

Banks' Statistics

Year	Team	G-S	No-Yds.	Avg	Long	TD
1980	New Orleans	7-0	0-0	—	—	—
1981	New Orleans	6-1	2-18	9.0	12	0
	Totals	13-1	2-18	9.0	12	0

Chuck Benbow • 1

Running Back • 5-10 • 210 • Long Beach State

PRO Signed as free agent by Seattle in 1979 training camp . . . also has had tryouts with the Montreal Alouettes and British Columbia Lions of the Canadian Football League.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Charles Edward Benbow Oct. 2, 1957, in the Philippine Islands . . . moved to San Diego as 1-year old and still resides here . . . started college career at San Diego Mesa College . . . gained 1,037 yards as sophomore and earned all-South Coast Conference honors and honorable mention all-America . . . started two seasons at Long Beach State and led runners both years with 533 yards each season . . . caught 32 passes for 289 yards as junior . . . starting strong safety as junior and all-league fullback as senior for Kearny High Komets in San Diego . . . :09.8 in 100-yard dash placed second in CIF and :41.8 in 400-meter relay placed fifth in state as senior . . . single.

Benbow's Statistics

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1977	110-533	4.8	461	5
1978	122-533	4.4	23	7

Don Brown • R

Tackle • 6-5 • 250 • Santa Clara

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Donald Colby Brown April 2, 1959, in San Jose, California . . . three-year starter at tackle at Santa Clara before sustaining ankle injury in first game of 1981 senior season . . . played in three games in 1981 . . . twice voted player of week in West Coast Athletic Conference by Northern California Sports Writers . . . earning history degree at Santa Clara . . . all-league performer in football, basketball, and track for the Camden High Cougars of San Jose . . . single . . . resides in San Jose.

Michael Browne • 1

Kicker • 6-3 • 205 • Idaho

PRO Was in the 1981 training camp of the Atlanta Falcons.
COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Michael Patrick Browne March 8, 1957, in San Jose, California . . . moved to Moscow, Idaho, at age 13 and attended University of Idaho as freshman before transferring to Spokane Falls Junior College . . . sophomore season at Spokane produced 7 of 11 successful field goal attempts with a school record 48-yard kick . . . redshirted as junior back at Idaho and made 2 of 8 field goal attempts with a long of 53 yards . . . all-league selection two years in a row as defensive end . . . received Bachelor of Science degree in accounting and is Certified Public Account working for Ernst & Whinney Accounting firm . . . married (Cheryl) . . . resides in Union City, California.

Scott Byers • R

Safety • 5-11 • 180 • Long Beach State

PRO Has played two seasons in the California Football League with Long Beach Mustangs (1980) and Orange County Rhinos (1981).

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Norman Scott Byers July 3, 1958, in Bayonne, New Jersey . . . grew up in San Diego and attended Lincoln High and Southwestern College . . . two year starter at free safety for Southwestern, earning all-Mission Conference honors both years . . . intercepted 9 passes as sophomore . . . transferred to Long Beach State, switched to cornerback and started two seasons . . . made 65 tackles as junior and 29 tackles as senior . . . all-Eastern League in football and baseball for the Lincoln High Hornets . . . a physical education major at Long Beach State . . . single . . . lives in San Diego.

Fred Cook • 8

Defensive End • 6-4 • 252 • Southern Mississippi

PRO Had 57 career quarterback sacks with the Baltimore Colts, including 17 for 143 yards in 1975 . . . has started every game of professional career, 104 consecutive starts . . . played seven seasons with the Colts, recording more than 65 tackles each year before being traded to the Washington Redskins July 18, 1981 . . . released by Washington Aug. 24, 1981, and did not play in 1981 . . . Colts' second-round choice and thirty-second player in 1974 NFL draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Frederick Harrison Cook April 15, 1952, in Pascagoula, Mississippi . . . captained Southern Mississippi football team senior season while being named third-team Associated Press all-America . . . took degree in Therapeutic Recreation . . . played football for Our Lady of Victory High Eagles in Pascagoula . . . married (Valerie) with son Frederick Ramon

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(Feb. 31, 1980 and daughter Rita (Dec. 5, 1981) . . . resides in Delisili, Mississippi.

Year	Team	G-S	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Opp. Fum.	QB Sacks/Losses
1974	Balt.	14-14	51-29	80	2	2/13
1975	Balt.	14-14	61-13	74	4	17/143
1976	Balt.	14-14	60-5	65	1	11/73
1977	Balt.	14-14	65-20	85	0	9/59
1978	Balt.	16-16	83-16	99	2	5/32
1979	Balt.	16-16	98-12	110	3	11/89
1980	Balt.	16-16	56-10	66	1	2/21
	Totals	104-104	474-90	564	13	57/430
	Postseason	3-3	10-7	17	0	1/10

Additional: 1975, 1 fum. rec., 49 yds., TD, 1 pass int., 8 yds, 1976, 1 pass int., 1 yd.

Steve Doolittle • 1

Linebacker • 6-3 • 225 • Colorado

PRO Drafted by Buffalo Bills in seventh round of 1981 NFL draft . . . tried as inside linebacker by the Bills . . . waived Aug. 25 or cut to 50 players.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Steven Dudley Doolittle Jan. 5, 1959, in Kansas City, Kansas . . . played outside linebacker for most of his college career at Colorado, but moved inside as a senior in 1980 and led team in tackles with 114 . . . punted in 1978 with a 42.4-yard average . . . played in the East-West Shrine game, Hula Bowl, and Senior Bowl following senior year . . . UPI first team All-Big Eight selection in 1980 and AP All-Big Eight second team . . . played high school football for the Amphitheater Panthers in Tucson, Arizona . . . majored in communications and public relations at Colorado . . . single . . . resides in Tucson.

Bobby Duckworth • 1

Wide Receiver • 6-3½ • 198 • Arkansas

PRO Placed on reserve Aug. 5, 1981, prior to first preseason game . . . suffered from toe injury sustained late in senior year in college . . . second player chosen by the Chargers in the sixth round of 1981 draft and 162nd overall.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Bobby Ray Duckworth Nov. 27, 1958, in Crossett, Arkansas, . . . played on run-oriented teams at Arkansas but set school record with 22.6-yard average for 46 catches that resulted in 9 touchdowns . . . named Arkansas athlete of the year as senior in high school . . . caught 23 passes for 19.4 averaged and 6 touchdowns as senior, averaged 27 points and 8 rebounds in basketball, and was state decathlon champion while representing Hamburg High Lions . . . single . . . lives in Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Russell Ellis • 1

Running Back • 5-11 • 183 • Nevada-Las Vegas

PRO Signed as free agent by Denver Broncos in 1979 and released in training camp . . . played 1980 season with Twin Cities Cougars of California Football League.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Russell Len Ellis Dec. 13, 1956, in Houston, Texas . . . grew up in Los Angeles and attended Jefferson High and West Los Angeles Junior College . . . transferred to Nevada-Las Vegas, where he was parttime starter as junior and second-leading rusher on squad as senior in 1978 with 486 yards on 111 carries . . . played running back and defensive back for the Jefferson High Democrats . . . all-City running back in senior year, 1973 . . . also participated in track . . . married (Lisa) with a daughter, Tonika (Sept. 4, 1980) . . . resides in Los Angeles.

Carlton Finister • R

Fullback • 5-11 • 195 • Northwestern State, La.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Carlton James Finister Jan. 20, 1959, in Monroe, Louisiana . . . 2-year starter and blocking fullback for tailback Joe Delaney, now of Kansas City Chiefs . . . still gained 519 yards as junior blocker for senior Delaney and rushed for 691 yards on 128 carries as senior in mostly aerial offense . . . earned

Demon Award for team's outstanding offensive back as junior and senior . . . team captain as senior . . . top high school running back in North Louisiana as senior for the Sicily Island High Tigers . . . rushed for more than 1,700 yards out of "Notre Dame Box" backfield, averaged 11.3 yards, and scored 183 points as senior . . . two-time all-State in high school . . . resides in Natchitoches, Louisiana, with wife, Betty, and sons Carldrake Lejune (May 20, 1976) and Marcus Dewayne (Aug. 8, 1979).

Rod Foppe • R (Foh-pay)

Wide Receiver • 5-10 • 180 • Louisiana Tech

PRO Played three seasons with Shreveport Steamer of the American Football Association 1979-81 . . . team most valuable player and led league in receiving in 1979 and 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Roderick Wayne Foppe Feb. 26, 1956, in Shreveport, Louisiana . . . caught 59 passes for 1,274 yards and 5 touchdowns, leading nation in yards receiving and average per catch with 21.6 average in 1977 . . . named all-Southland Conference, all-Louisiana, honorable mention all-America, and team captain . . . four-year letterman, catching 100 career passes for 1,978 yards and 14 touchdowns . . . joined receiving corps of Billy Ryckman (Atlanta), Pat Tilley (St. Louis), and Mike Barber (Los Angeles) as freshman and sophomore . . . received Bachelor of Arts degree in journalism . . . played football for the Captain Shreve High Gators in Shreveport . . . resides in Shreveport and co-publishes monthly sports magazine "Sports Shreveport" . . . married (Villa) with son, Ryan (Nov. 18, 1980).

Larry Gentry • 1

Quarterback • 6-1 • 185 • Nevada-Las Vegas

PRO Was in the training camp of Oakland Raiders in 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Larry Ray Gentry August 25, 1958, in Scottsbluff, Nebraska . . . four-year performer for UNLV at quarterback . . . completed 60 of 134 passes for 1,031 yards and 13 touchdowns in 1979 and rushed 92 times for 254 yards and 7 touchdowns . . . completed 113 of 209 passes for 1,691 yards and 22 touchdowns in 1980 . . . still attending UNLV, earning degree in television broadcasting . . . grew up in Westminster, Colorado, and was 3-year all league performer in baseball and football and 2-year all-league performer in basketball for Westminster High Warriors . . . married (Dana) . . . resides in Las Vegas.

Gentry's Statistics

Year	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD
1977	1-0	0	.000	0
1978	47-19	260	.404	1
1979	134-60	1031	.448	13
1980	209-113	1691	.541	22
Totals	391-192	2982	.491	36

Andrew Gissinger • 1

Tackle • 6-4 • 280 • Syracuse

PRO First player chosen by the Chargers in the sixth round of 1981 draft . . . big, solid athlete who is a natural 280 pounds . . . played well in preseason before back injury placed him on injured reserve Sept. 1 . . . 141st player taken in draft.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Andrew Gissinger III July 4, 1959, in Barberton, Ohio . . . three-year starter and four-year letterman at Syracuse . . . on all-East first team in 1980 . . . earned Dean's list honors 7 out of 8 semesters at Syracuse . . . has degree in marketing . . . played high school football in Parma, Ohio, for the Valley Forge Patriots . . . single . . . lives on Mission Beach.

Mike Goedeker • R (Goh-decker)**Linebacker • 5-11 • 217 • Miami, Fla.**

PRO Played 1981 season with the Virginia Hunters of the American Football Association.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Mike David Goedeker Aug. 25, 1959, in Rochester, Pennsylvania . . . started collegiate career as fullback, switched to middle guard, and ended college career as starting defensive end . . . started final two years, earning team most-valuable player honors in 1980 . . . named Chevrolet most-valuable player in game versus Florida A&M and played in Peach Bowl against Virginia Tech . . . outstanding high school career in which Goedeker gained more than 1,000 yards in each of final two seasons for the Rochester High Rams . . . also participated in track and basketball . . . has degree in physical education . . . single . . . resides in Rochester, Pennsylvania.

Brad Hendrix • 1**Guard • 6-4 • 245 • North Alabama**

PRO Signed with Chargers in 1980 training camp but spent season on reserve with back injury . . . came back in 1981 training camp and suffered shoulder injury and was placed on reserve Aug. 25 . . . underwent surgery Nov. 12, 1981 . . . originally signed with the Dallas Cowboys in 1979 as free agent but was released in training camp.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Brad Alan Hendrix March 17, 1957, in Birmingham, Alabama . . . played four seasons at North Alabama as defensive end and signed with Dallas as offensive lineman . . . academic all-Gulf South conference, second-team all-Conference, and team captain . . . has degree in business management . . . played football for the Woodlawn High Colonels in Birmingham, Alabama . . . single . . . lives on Mission Beach.

Tony Jackson • R**Wide Receiver • 6-0 • 185 • Tennessee-Chattanooga**

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Anthony James Jackson Dec. 11, 1959, in Atlanta, Georgia . . . walked on at Tennessee-Chattanooga in 1978 and lettered four years as wide receiver . . . started his junior and senior seasons . . . entered senior season in 1981 with 20.5-yards per catch average, tops in nation . . . caught 12 passes for 200 yards and three touchdowns against Vanderbilt in 1980, all school records for single game . . . led in squad two seasons, despite missing final two games of 1981 . . . three-sport letterman for the Chamblee High Bulldogs in Atlanta earning most valuable honors in football and basketball . . . single . . . resides in Atlanta.

Jackson's Statistics

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1978	1-25	25.0	0	25
1979	5-100	20.0	1	41
1980	32-655	20.5	4	55t
1981	42-706	16.8	5	75t
Totals	80-1486	18.6	10	75t

Tyrone Justin • R**Defensive Back • 5-11 • 174 • Fullerton State**

PRO Was in training camp of the British Columbia Lions of the Canadian Football League in 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Tyrone Anthony Justin Jan. 17, 1958, in New Orleans . . . played two seasons at Southwest Junior College in Los Angeles . . . attended Oregon State one year and transferred to Fullerton State . . . sat out 1979 season . . . had 80 tackles in 1980 . . . can play cornerback or safety . . . played football and competed in gymnastics for the Crenshaw High Cougars in Los Angeles . . . single . . . lives in Los Angeles . . . brother of Seattle Seahawks' Kerry Justin and Baltimore Colts' Sidney Justin.

Donald Ray King • R**Fullback • 5-1 • 201 • Mississippi State**

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Donald Ray King Feb. 13, 1960, in Laurel, Mississippi . . . grew up in Ellisville, Mississippi, where he was all-State and Conference Most Valuable player for the South Jones High Braves . . . attended Mississippi State four years, starting his final 1½ seasons . . . started final 7 games of junior year and rushed for 625 yards, ending season with 642 yards and 6 touchdowns to lead team . . . started as senior, leading team with 152 carries and rushed for 590 yards and 4 touchdowns . . . team captain and all-Southeastern Conference as senior . . . physical education major at Mississippi State . . . single . . . lives in Ellisville, Miss.

King's Statistics

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1978	5-24	4.8	0	7
1979	43-205	4.8	2	16
1980	147-642	4.4	6	57
1981	152-590	3.9	4	30
Totals	347-1461	4.2	12	57

Derrick Martin • 1**Cornerback • 5-11½ • 185 • San Jose State**

PRO Played with the Toronto Argonauts of the Canadian Football League in 1980 . . . was in the training camp of the Dallas Cowboys in 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Derrick Roy Martin May 31, 1957, in Los Angeles . . . attended Arizona State two years, playing tailback as a freshman before becoming a starting cornerback as sophomore . . . redshirted 1977 at San Jose State, becoming a starter in 1978 and 1979 . . . team captain on same team with Chargers' quarterback Ed Luther . . . also returned kicks . . . majored in business administration . . . all-Southern California at tailback and cornerback his senior year for Compton High Tarbabes in Compton, California . . . single . . . lives in Los Angeles.

Dennis McKnight • 1**Center-Guard • 6-2 • 260 • Drake**

PRO Was in the training camp of the Cleveland Browns in 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Dennis McKnight Sept. 12, 1959, in Dallas, Texas . . . all-Missouri Conference first team choice and honorable mention all-America his senior year at Drake in 1980 . . . played in the 1981 Senior Bowl . . . earned four letters in football at Drake and was team captain . . . participated in football, track, and wrestling for the Wagner High Falcons on Staten Island, New York . . . married (Jodi) and resides in Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

Curt Miller • R**Wide Receiver • 6-2 • 200 • Weber State**

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Curt Dean Miller Feb. 9, 1960, in Ventura, California . . . lived in San Diego until age 8 before moving to Lake Stevens, Washington . . . three-year starter at wide receiver at Weber State in Utah setting school records for most career receptions (102), most career touchdown receptions (14), most career punts (218), and most career punting yardage (8,400 yards) . . . punted four years at Weber State and played tight end as freshman . . . earned first-team all-Big Sky Conference honors as sophomore in 1979 . . . team captain in 1981 . . . played football (quarterback, safety), basketball and baseball for the Lake Stevens High Vikings in Lake Stevens, 30 miles north of Seattle . . . physical education major at Weber State . . . single . . . resides in Ogden, Utah.

Miller's Statistics

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1978	1-5	5.0	5	0
1979	33-545	16.5	55t	6
1980	32-474	14.8	45t	3
1981	36-477	13.2	52	5
Totals	102-1501	14.7	55t	14

Henry Monroe • 2**Defensive Back • 5-11 • 180 • Mississippi State**

PRO First player chosen in 7th round by the Green Bay Packers and 180th player overall in 1979 NFL draft . . . played 3 games with Packers . . . suffered ankle injury Sept. 16, 1979 against Tampa Bay . . . placed on injured reserve Sept. 20 and waived Nov. 24, and claimed on waivers by Philadelphia Nov. 28, 1979 . . . played three games with the Eagles in 1979 . . . was in Eagles training camp in 1980 and 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Henry Evans Monroe, Jr., Dec. 30, 1956, in Mobile, Alabama . . . grew up in Mobile and played football and ran track for the Ben C. Rain High Raiders . . . on Mississippi State's football squad 4 seasons, starting at corner the final 1½ years . . . member of all-Southeastern Conference as senior and named to conference all-Academic team . . . lettered three years at Mississippi State . . . played running back and defensive back in high school . . . attended pre-med classes at Mississippi State with one year remaining on degree . . . lived in San Diego for past 2 years and worked as laboratory assistant in research department at UC San Diego . . . married (Rymona).

Games-starts: 1980, 6-0

Derrie Nelson • 1**Linebacker • 6-2 • 225 • Nebraska**

PRO Fourth-round draft choice of the Dallas Cowboys in 1981 . . . waived in training camp.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Derald Lawrence Nelson Feb. 8, 1958, in York, Nebraska . . . three-year starter at defensive end-stand-up linebacker for Nebraska . . . recorded 57 tackles and 21 tackles for losses of 153 yards as senior . . . earned Associated Press and UPI all-America honors and named Big 8 defensive player of year as senior in 1980 . . . played in Japan and Hula Bowl games . . . named to UPI and AP first teams all-Big 8 honorable mention as sophomore . . . team captain as senior . . . started on Nebraska's freshman team as walk-on in 1976 . . . participated in football (8-man), basketball, and track for the Fairmont High Tigers in Fairmont, Nebraska . . . part of graduation class of 25 . . . earned Class D all-State honors for two years as fullback and linebacker . . . fine racquetball and basketball player . . . single . . . resides in Fairmont, Nebraska.

Brian Peets • 4**Tight End • 6-3 • 230 • Pacific**

PRO Started 14 games for Seattle in 1979 after signing as rookie free agent and getting into 7 games in 1978 . . . missed 1980 season with broken leg and released at end of 1981 preseason . . . signed by San Francisco and got into five games in 1981 . . . career-high 4 catches against Chargers in 1979 opening regular-season game in Seattle . . . caught 25 passes that season.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Brian Lanvin Peets July 15, 1956, in Linden, California . . . played football and basketball, and competed in track for the Linden High Lions . . . four-year letterman at University of the Pacific, Stockton, California, with 36 career receptions and 14 receptions for 20.1 average and 3 touchdowns as senior . . . all-Pacific Coast Athletic Association, 1977 . . . has spent off-season working as veterinarian's aid, photographing wildlife in Kenya, Africa, and collecting comic books . . . married (Rosemary) and resides in Redmond, Washington.

Pass Receiving

Year	Team	G-S	No-Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
1978	Seattle	7-0	1-14	14.0	14	0
1979	Seattle	16-14	25-293	11.7	28	1
1980	Seattle	Did not play, broken leg				
1981	San Francisco	5-0	1-5	5.0	5	0
	Totals	28-14	27-312	11.6	28	1

Henry Phillips • R**Wide Receiver • 6-1 • 170 • Long Beach State**

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Henry Lee Phillips March 24, 1957, in Los Angeles . . . started final 5 games of 1978 and all games in 1979 at Long Beach State . . . caught 25 passes for 336 yards as junior and led the team as senior with 40 catches for 542 yards and 2 touchdowns . . . redshirted 1977 after playing two seasons at Barstow Junior College . . . named most valuable player as option quarterback in 1976 . . . played defensive back and wide receiver in junior college . . . all-Southern League quarterback and safety for Jefferson High Democrats in Los Angeles . . . lettered in swimming, baseball, and track . . . continuing physical education studies at Long Beach State . . . single . . . resides in Los Angeles.

Dart Ramsey • R**Safety • 6-2 • 200 • Indiana**

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Edgar Lloyd Ramsey III August 8, 1960, in Dayton, Ohio . . . four-year letterman and three-year starter at strong safety with occasional appearances at free safety . . . 5 career interceptions for 90 yards . . . had 65 tackles in each of junior and senior seasons, ranking fourth and fifth on the team, respectively . . . big game versus Brigham Young in 1979 Holiday Bowl in San Diego, making four tackles and knocking down two passes in endzone . . . earned all-conference honors as split end and free safety for the Archbishop Alter High Knights in Kettering, Ohio, suburb of Dayton . . . played basketball and baseball . . . still attending Indiana University, majoring in Business . . . nicknamed "Dart" so could rhyme with brother Mark . . . single . . . resides in Dayton, Ohio.

Ramsey's Statistics

Year	Tack.-Asst.	Total	Int.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long	Fum. Rec.
1978	7-1	8	0-0	—	—	—	1
1979	39-12	51	3-57	17.0	0	42	1
1980	33-32	65	1-21	21.0	0	21	0
1981	39-26	65	1-12	12.0	0	12	0
Totals	118-71	189	5-90	18.0	0	42	2

Tom Spadafore • 1**Punter • 6-2 • 205 • Boise State**

PRO Was in the 1981 training camp of the Washington Redskins and Los Angeles Rams.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Thomas Jeffrey Spadafore May 3, 1958, in Stockton, California . . . two-year punter at Boise State and led the nation in net punting in 1980 as senior with 41.3-yard net average . . . Spadafore's 41.9-yard average in 1980 was third in nation for Division I AA schools . . . started college career at Cuesta Junior College in San Luis Obispo, California, as quarterback-punter . . . went back to hometown and played quarterback for Delta Junior College in Stockton before transferring to Boise State . . . played quarterback, free safety, punter, and kicker for the Lincoln High Trojans in Stockton . . . graduated from Boise State with degree in special education . . . single . . . resides in Boise.

Spadafore's Statistics

Year	No.-Yds.	Avg.	Long
1979	49-1867	38.1	69
1980	51-2135	41.9	71

Greg Sykes • 1**Tackle • 6-5½ • 275 • Washington State**

PRO Was in training camp of Seattle Seahawks in 1981.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Gregory Martinez Sykes Oct. 30, 1958, in Los Angeles . . . played defensive tackle at Washington State first two years before switching to offense in 1979 . . . started 22 straight games at tackle as junior and senior . . . earned all-Pac 10 second team and Associated Press all-America honorable

mention honors as senior in 1980 . . . grew up in Los Angeles and starred in football, basketball, and track for the Hollywood High Shieks . . . all-East Valley League in football, basketball, and threw the shot 58 feet . . . has sociology degree from Washington State . . . single . . . lives in Los Angeles.

Mark Tolbert • 1

Wide Receiver • 5-9½ • 185 • Cal Poly-Pomona

PRO Was in the Los Angeles Rams' 1981 training camp.
COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Mark Anthony Tolbert Feb. 15, 1959, in Gregg County, Texas . . . grew up in Los Angeles area, attending El Camino Junior College before transferring to Cal Poly-Pomona . . . earned honorable mention all-conference as tailback after sophomore season at El Camino . . . led team as senior with 26 catches for 420 yards, a 16.2 average . . . also returned 13 kickoffs for 255 yards, 19.6 average, in 1980 . . . high jumped 6-10 for Cal Poly track team . . . played quarterback and defensive back for the Crenshaw High Cougars in Los Angeles . . . single . . . resides in Los Angeles.

Jimmy Lee Tucker • 1

RB-WR • 5-11 • 188 • Nevada-Las Vegas

PRO Was in training camp of Los Angeles Rams as running back in 1979.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Jimmy Lee Tucker Dec. 14, 1957, in Shelby, Mississippi . . . grew up in Harbor City, California, and attended Harbor College, where he competed in track as high jumper with best of 6-6 . . . moved to University of Nevada-Las Vegas and played two seasons, 1978 and 1979, as wide receiver . . . caught 7 passes for 139 yards, with one touchdown coming on long reception of 63 yards . . . three-sport star for the Narbonne High Gauchos in Harbor City, California, competing in football, basketball, and track . . . married (Madelyn) with a daughter, Danlie (Sept. 10, 1980) . . . resides in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Steve Whitman • 1

Linebacker • 6-3 • 231 • Alabama

PRO Selected in ninth round of 1980 NFL draft by Chargers . . . suffered hamstring injury while water skiing on Lake Tuscaloosa, Alabama, in 1981 offseason and spent all of 1981 on injured reserve . . . quarterback Joe Namath suffered debilitating knee injury while water skiing on same lake . . . on injured reserve for 1980 regular season with staph infection . . . fullback in college, but Chargers see promise as linebacker.

COLLEGE, PERSONAL Born Stephen Kerry Whitman June 27, 1957, in Birmingham, Alabama . . . played on two national collegiate championship squads and was team captain . . . made Southeastern Conference all-academic team and second-team all-SEC in 1979 . . . played for South in Senior Bowl . . . all-State two years as a fullback, linebacker, and punter for Huffman High Vikings in Birmingham, Alabama . . . married (Cindy) . . . resides in Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Coldest Games

Date	Team	W-L	Score	Temperature—conditions
Sun. Jan. 10, 1982	at Cincinnati	L	7-27	-9°, -59 wind-chill**
Sun. Dec. 10, 1972	at Denver	L	13-38	9°, mostly sunny
Sun. Nov. 19, 1978	at Minnesota	W	13-7	15°, partly cloudy
Sun. Dec. 16, 1973	at Kansas City	L	6-33	22°, overcast
Sun. Dec. 21, 1975	at Cincinnati	L	17-47	24°, cloudy
Sun. Nov. 23, 1975	at Minnesota	L	13-28	28°, cloudy
Sun. Nov. 21, 1976	at Buffalo	W	34-13	29°, sunny
Sun. Nov. 12, 1961	at Denver	W	19-16	30°, cloudy
Sun. Nov. 2, 1969	at Denver	L	0-13	32°, partly cloudy
Sun. Nov. 30, 1975	at Denver (OT)	L	10-13	33°, partly cloudy

Mon. Dec. 4, 1978 Chicago W 40-7 48°, clear***

NFL record *Coldest game in San Diego.

1981 Review



Statistics

Team Statistics

	San Diego	Opp.
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	378	365
Rushing	127	114
Passing	223	216
Penalty	28	35
Third Down: Made/Att.	108/221	92/220
Third Down Efficiency	48.9	41.8
TOTAL NET YARDS	6744	6136
Avg. Per Game	421.5	383.5
Total Plays	1129	1109
Avg. Per Play	6.0	5.5
NET YARDS RUSHING	2005	1825
Avg. Per Game	125.3	114.1
Total Rushes	481	491
NET YARDS PASSING	4739	4311
Avg. Per Game	296.2	269.4
Tackled/Yards Lost	19/134	47/384
Gross Yards	4873	4695
Attempts/Completions	629/368	571/313
Pct. of Completions	58.5	54.8
Had Intercepted	18	23
PUNTS AVERAGE	63/40.3	72/40.3
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	35.4	33.1
PENALTIES/YARDS	128/947	109/887
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	38/21	38/18
TOUCHDOWNS	61	48
Rushing	26	25
Passing	34	22
Returns	1	1
TOTAL POINTS	478	390

Score by Periods

	1	2	3	4	OT	Total
Chargers	101	157	95	125	0	478
Opp. Total	83	124	93	87	3	390

Scoring	TDR	TDP	TDRt	PAT	FG	S	TP
Muncie	19	0	0	0	0	0	114
Benirschke	0	0	0	55	19	0	112
Winslow	0	10	0	0	0	0	60
Joiner	0	7	0	0	0	0	42
J. Brooks	3	3	0	0	0	0	36
Cappelletti	4	1	0	0	0	0	30
Chandler	0	5	0	0	0	0	30
Sievers	0	3	0	0	0	0	18
Smith	0	2	0	0	0	0	12
Bauer	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Johnson	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
Scales	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
C. Williams	0	1	0	0	0	0	6
Chargers Total	26	34	1	55	19	0	478
Opp. Total	25	22	1	45	19	0	390

Benirschke FG: (50, 43, 32), (0), (50, 30), (52), (47), (31, 39), (30), (18, 52), (29, 19, 22), (47, 37), (32), (0), (50, 41), (29, 27), (29), (24, 27, 39). Benirschke's point-after-touchdown misses include 3 blocked kicks, 1 non-attempt because of poor snap.

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Avg. Att.	TD	Int.	LG	Lost/Att.	Rating
Fouts	609	360	4802	59.11	7.89	33	17	67	19/134	90.6
Luther	15	7	68	46.67	4.53	0	1	25	0/0	32.1
Muncie	1	1	3	100.00	3.00	1	0	31	0/0	118.8
Chandler	2	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0/0	39.6
Winslow	2	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0/0	39.6
Chargers Total	629	368	4873	58.51	7.75	34	18	67	19/134	89.3
Opp. Total	571	313	4695	54.82	8.22	22	23	93	47/384	78.1

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
Muncie	251	1144	4.6	73	19
J. Brooks	109	525	4.8	28	3
Cappelletti	68	254	3.7	30	4
Fouts	22	56	2.5	13	0
C. Williams	20	26	1.3	6	0
Bauer	2	7	3.5	4	0
Roberts	1	2	2.0	2	0
Chandler	5	-1	-0.2	9	0
Luther	3	-8	-2.7	-1	0
Chargers Total	481	2005	4.2	73	26
Opp. Total	491	1825	3.7	28	25

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
Winslow	88	1075	12.2	67½	10
Joiner	70	1188	17.0	57	7
Chandler*	52	857	16.5	51½	5
J. Brooks	46	329	7.2	29½	3
Muncie	43	362	8.4	32	0
Sievers	22	276	12.5	32	3
Scales	19	429	22.6	60½	1
C. Williams	12	108	9.0	15	1
Cappelletti	10	126	12.6	25	1
Smith	3	84	28.0	39½	2
B. Brooks	1	21	21.0	21	0
Bauer	1	4	4.0	4½	1
Holohan	1	14	14.0	14	0
Chargers Total	368	4873	13.2	67½	34
Opp. Total	313	4695	15.0	93½	22

*Chandler's season totals are 69 catches, 1,142 yards, 16.6 average, 6 touchdowns.

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
Buchanon	5	31	6.2	18	0
Shaw	3	50	16.7	23	0
Lowe	3	0	0.0	0	0
M. Williams	3	0	0.0	0	0
Edwards	2	45	22.5	39	0
Gregor	2	11	5.5	11	0
Johnson	1	41	41.0	36	1
King	1	28	28.0	28	0
Horn	1	12	12.0	12	0
Jones	1	6	6.0	6	0
Duncan	1	0	0.0	0	0
Chargers Total	23	224	9.7	39	1
Opp. Total	18	337	20.9	102½	1

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	Long	Blk.
Roberts	62	2540	41.0	7	16	61	0
Team	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	1
Chargers Total	63	2540	40.3	7	16	61	1
Opp. Total	72	2900	40.3	7	20	56	0

Punt Returns	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
J. Brooks	22	6	290	13.2	42	0
Chandler	5	3	79	15.8	30	0
Bauer	1	0	7	7.0	7	0
Shaw	1	0	1	1.0	1	0
Edwards	1	0	1	1.0	1	0
Phillips	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
M. Williams	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Chargers Total	31	10	378	12.2	42	0
Opp. Total	31	7	168	5.4	21	0

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TD
J. Brooks	40	949	23.7	47	0
Chandler	8	125	15.6	30	0
Shaw	6	103	17.2	24	0
C. Williams	4	47	11.8	23	0
Gregor	3	47	15.7	20	0
Thompson	2	44	22.0	25	0
Sievers	2	4	2.0	4	0
Smith	2	32	16.0	20	0
Beaudoin	1	31	31.0	31	0
Henderson	1	26	26.0	26	0
Bauer	1	14	14.0	14	0
Chargers Total	70	1422	20.3	47	0
Opp. Total	88	1533	17.4	48	0

Field Goals	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
Benirschke	2-2	7-7	5-8	3-4	2-5	19-26
Chargers Total	2-2	7-7	5-8	3-4	2-5	19-26
Opp. Total	1-2	7-7	9-9	2-5	0-3	19-26

Game by Game

Week 1

San Diego 44, at Cleveland 14 Monday, Sept. 7

The Chargers rolled up 535 total offense and set a club record for points in an opening game. The victory was the Chargers' fourth in a row on the road at the start of the season and was accomplished before a crowd of 78,904 in Cleveland Municipal Stadium and before a national television audience of more than 50 million. Quarterback Dan Fouts completed 19 of 25 passes for 330 yards and 3 touchdowns. Wide receiver Charlie Joiner caught 6 passes for 191 yards. Running back Chuck Muncie tied a career high of 161 yards rushing in 24 carries. Fouts' 13-yard pass to James Brooks three minutes into the third quarter gave the Chargers a 27-7 lead in a game in which they never trailed.

San Diego	10	10	14	10	— 44	Team Statistics	San	
Cleveland	0	7	7	0	— 14		Diego	Cleveland
SD—Brooks 4 run (Benirschke kick)						First Downs	28	27
SD—FG Benirschke 50						Rushes—Yards	41-205	14-53
Cle—Feacher 18 pass from Sipe (Jacobs kick)						Passing Yards	330	375
SD—Muncie 9 run (Benirschke kick)						Total Yards	535	419
SD—FG Benirschke 43						Had QB sacked	0-0	2-9
SD—J. Brooks 13 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)						Passes	25-19-0	57-31-2
Cle—G. Pruitt 4 pass from Sipe (Jacobs kick)						Punts	2-42.0	5-38.6
SD—Bauer 4 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)						Fumbles/Lost	1-0	3-0
SD—FG Benirschke 32						Penalties/Yards	8-45	6-55
SD—Smith 38 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)						Tickets issued—80,122		
						Attendance—78,904		

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Muncie 24-161, 1 TD; J. Brooks 8-28, 1 TD; Cappelletti 5-14, Fouts 2-9, Luther 2-(-7).
Cleveland: M. Pruitt 8-30, G. Pruitt 1-11, Sipe 4-10, Hill 1-2.
PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 25-19-0, 325 yards, 3 TD.
Cleveland: Sipe 57-31-2, 375 yards, 2 TD.
RECEIVING—San Diego: Joiner 6-191, Muncie 4-23, Winslow 2-23, J. Brooks 2-9, 1 TD.
Cleveland: G. Pruitt 7-86, 1 TD, Newsome 6-87, M. Pruitt 6-30, Rucker 5-68, Logan 4-71.

Week 2

San Diego 28, Detroit 23 Sunday, Sept. 13

Strong safety Frank Duncan cut in front of Detroit tight end David Hill at the Chargers' one-yard line to intercept Gary Danielson's pass with one second remaining in the game to preserve the Charger's victory. The Lions had moved from their 33-yard line to the Chargers' seven in the final 50 seconds after John Cappelletti scored on a two-yard touchdown to put the Chargers in front with 56 seconds to go in a game that saw the lead change hands four times in the final quarter. Detroit inched ahead 23-21 on Eddie Murray's 30-yard field goal with 4:32 remaining. San Diego's James Brooks returned the following kickoff 39 yards to the Chargers' 34. A roughing penalty against Detroit on the return positioned the Chargers at their 49, whence they moved to the winning score.

Detroit	3	0	10	10	— 23	Team Statistics	San	
San Diego	7	0	7	14	— 28		Detroit	Diego
SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)						First Downs	26	17
Det—FG Murray 18						Rushes—Yards	41-178	24-57
Det—Danielson 11 run (Murray kick)						Passing Yards	207	310
Det—FG Murray 37						Total Yards	367	385
SD—Winslow 7 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)						Had QB sacked	3-22	1-6
Det—Sims 12 run (Murray kick)						Passes	27-19-1	25-18-1
SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)						Punts	3-36.7	3-41.7
Det—FG Murray 30						Fumbles/Lost	1-1	3-1
SD—Cappelletti 2 run (Benirschke kick)						Penalties/Yards	4-35	4-59
						Tickets issued—52,671		
						Attendance—51,624		

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Detroit: Sims 23-98, 1 TD, Bussey 9-40, L. Thompson 1-14, Danielson 4-14, 1 TD.
San Diego: Muncie 15-36, 2 TD, Fouts 6-17, Cappelletti 3-4, 1 TD.
PASSING—Detroit: Danielson 26-18-1, 213 yards, 1 TD, Skladany 1-1-0, 16 yards.
San Diego: Fouts 25-18-1, 316 yards, 1 TD.
RECEIVING—Detroit: Scott 6-84, Kane 5-38, Bussey 3-31, Sims 2-53.
San Diego: Joiner 7-166, Winslow 3-35, 1 TD, Sievers 3-26, Scales 2-57, Muncie 2-23.

Week 3

San Diego 42, at Kansas City 31

Sunday, Sept. 20

The Chargers built a 28-7 lead in the first half, then withstood a Chiefs rally that cut the lead to 35-31 after Nick Lowery's 37-yard field goal with 10:07 remaining in the game. Chargers linebacker Linden King deflected Bill Kenney's pass into the hands of defensive end Leroy Jones, who ran 6 yards to the Chiefs' 5, then lateraled to Gary (Big Hands) Johnson, who rumbled into the end zone for the touchdown that provided the final margin. A total of 1:53 remained in the game at the time of Johnson's touchdown. Dan Fouts completed 18 of 31 passes for 250 yards and 3 touchdowns in the first half. The Chiefs played the second half almost entirely with five defensive backs and Fouts ended with 284 yards.

San Diego	14	14	7	7	—	42
Kansas City	7	7	14	3	—	31

KC—McKnight 1 run (Lowery kick)
 SD—Winslow 13 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 SD—J. Brooks 29 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)
 SD—Sievers 12 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 KC—Dixon 7 pass from Kenney
 (Lowery kick)
 KC—McKnight 3 run (Lowery kick)
 SD—Muncie 3 run (Benirschke kick)
 KC—B. Jackson 4 run (Lowery kick)
 KC—FG Lowery 37
 SD—Johnson 5 lateral from Jones
 (Benirschke kick)

Team Statistics	San Diego	Kansas City
First Downs	23	29
Rushes—Yards	24-114	37-148
Passing Yards	284	278
Total Yards	398	426
Had QB sacked	0-0	3-25
Passes	43-22-3	41-21-5
Punts	5-40.0	3-39.3
Fumbles/Lost	2-0	4-3
Penalties/Yards	9-50	11-104

Tickets issued—65,540
 Attendance—63,866

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Muncie 17-93, 2 TD, Fouts 3-8, J. Brooks 2-7.
 Kansas City: Delaney 9-66, McKnight 14-40, 2 TD, Hadnot 11-33.
 PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 43-22-3, 284 yards, 3 TD.
 Kansas City: Kenney 41-22-5, 303 Yards, 1 TD.
 RECEIVING—San Diego: Muncie 9-85, Winslow 6-96, 1 TD, Sievers 2-43, 1 TD, J. Brooks 2-30, 1 TD, Joiner 2-23.

Week 4

San Diego 24, at Denver 42

Sunday, Sept. 27

The Broncos jumped on the Chargers for a 28-0 halftime lead, advanced to 35-0 in the third quarter, and held off a 24-point blitz by the visitors that narrowed the score to 35-24 with 11:05 remaining. Denver quarterback Craig Morton completed 11 of 12 passes for 222 yards and four touchdowns in the first half. With the Broncos up 35-0 with 8:42 left in the third quarter, the Chargers' offense took control and scored 24 unanswered points in 10:45.

San Diego	0	0	10	14	—	24
Denver	21	7	7	7	—	42

Den—Odoms 19 Pass from Morton
 (Steinfort kick)
 Den—Watson 93 pass from Morton
 (Steinfort kick)
 Den—J. Wright 2 pass from Morton
 (Steinfort kick)
 Den—Watson 21 pass from Morton
 (Steinfort kick)
 Den—Preston 2 run (Steinfort kick)
 SD—FG Benirschke 52
 SD—Smith 39 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 SD—Cappelletti 1 run (Benirschke kick)
 SD—Winslow 1 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 Den—Lytle 3 run (Steinfort kick)

Team Statistics	San Diego	Denver
First Downs	23	20
Rushes—Yards	22-84	37-103
Passing Yards	265	350
Total Yards	349	453
Had QB sacked	5-33	2-17
Passes	47-26-3	24-21-0
Punts	3-40.0	3-42.7
Fumbles/Lost	2-2	3-3
Penalties/Yards	6-40	6-55

Tickets issued—75,123
 Attendance—74,844

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: J. Brooks 7-41, Muncie 7-16, Cappelletti 7-26, 1 TD, C. Williams 1-1.
 Denver: Parros 6-15, Preston 14-32, 1 TD, Reed 4-(-2), Canada 8-43, Morton 2-6, Lytle 3-9, 1 TD.
 PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 47-26-3, 298 yards, 2 TDs.
 Denver: Morton 18-17-0, 308 yards, 4 TDs, DeBerg 6-4-0, 59 yards.
 RECEIVING—San Diego: Muncie 3-35, Sievers 3-26, Winslow 10-106, 1 TD, Cappelletti 2-26, Joiner 3-32, J. Brooks 2-6, Smith 1-39, 1 TD, C. Williams 1-12, Scales 1-16.
 Denver: Watson 8-178, 2 TDs, Manning 2-41, Odoms 4-71, 1 TD, J. Wright 1-2, 1 TD, Preston 2-25, Reed 2-7, Moses 2-43

Week 5

San Diego 24, Seattle 10

Sunday, Oct. 4

Dan Fouts set a club record with 30 pass completions that gained 302 yards; this was Fouts' twenty-first 300-yard game of his career. Not one of Fouts' completions went for more than 15 yards. The game was played before the twenty-third consecutive sellout crowd (51,463) in San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium. The Chargers took a 10-7 halftime lead and jumped out to 17-7 in the third quarter behind 10 straight completions by Fouts, the last being a 12-yard touchdown pass to Charlie Joiner. The Chargers defense held Seattle on two consecutive goal line stands, stopping David Hughes on a fourth-and-one at the goal and allowing a 20-yard field goal on the second. The 85 yards rushing by John Cappelletti was his best total since he rushed for 112 yards at Seattle Sept. 7, 1980. Clarence Williams set personal and team highs (for running backs) with his 10 receptions and 89 yards. Chuck Muncie and James Brooks did not play because of injuries.

Seattle	0	7	0	3	-	10
San Diego	0	10	7	7	-	24

Sea—Largent 34 pass from Zorn (Herrera kick)
 SD—FG Benirschke 47
 SD—Winslow 9 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)
 SD—Joiner 12 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)
 Sea—FG Herrera 20
 SD—Joiner 11 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)

Team Statistics

	Seattle	San Diego
First Downs	15	25
Rushes—Yards	23-92	28-99
Passing Yards	200	272
Total Yards	292	371
Had QB sacked	3-29	4-30
Passes	34-16-1	41-30-0
Punts	6-44.7	5-41.4
Fumbles/Lost	4-0	6-2
Penalties/Yards	9-69	10-80

Tickets issued—52,669

Attendance—51,463

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Seattle: Jodat 3-17, Hughes 8-26, Doornink 1-4, Zorn 6-29, Lane 3-9, Smith 2-7.

San Diego: Cappelletti 14-85, Chandler 1-5, C. Williams 12-6, Bauer 1-3.

PASSING—Seattle: Zorn 34-16-1, 229 yards, 1 TD.

San Diego: Fouts 41-30-0, 302 yards, 3 TDs.

RECEIVING—Seattle: Sawyer 2-27, Largent 5-118, 1 TD, Doornink 1-5, McCullum 1-13, Lane 4-45, Hughes 2-5, McGrath 1-16.

San Diego: Cappelletti 2-28, Winslow 7-82, 1 TD, Sievers 2-20, Chandler 5-37, Joiner 3-34, 2 TDs, C. Williams 10-89, Scales 1-12.

Week 6

Minnesota 33, at San Diego 31

Sunday, Oct. 11

The Chargers suffered their first regular-season defeat in the last seven outings in San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium. The Chargers went ahead 31-24 on a one-yard run by Chuck Muncie with 10:47 left in the fourth quarter. With 1:51 left, the Vikings scored on a 43-yard pass from Tommy Kramer to Terry LeCount, then missed the extra point try to make the score 31-30. The Vikes recovered the ensuing onside kick and marched to the San Diego 20-yard line to set up the winning 38-yard field goal by Rick Danmeier. Chuck Muncie ran for 102 yards while playing with a cast



Fouts had four 300-yard passing efforts in six games.

Chris Colter

1982 First-Year and Free Agents Roster

Numerical Roster		No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	Birthplace	College	How Acquired
1	Michael Browne, K	91	Ackerman, Richard (1)	DT	6-4	255	6/16/59	La Grange, Ill.	Memphis State	FA-'82
3	Tom Spadafore, P-K	26	Allen, Jeff (2)	CB	5-11½	185	7/18/58	Richmond, Ind.	California-Davis	FA-'82
5	Mark Tolbert, WR	86	Armour, Ned	WR	6-1	185	3/ 6/58	Indianapolis, Ind.	San Diego State	FA-'82
7	Maury Buford, P	27	Back, Mike	DB	5-10	170	4/ 3/59	Cincinnati, Ohio	Evangel College, Mo.	FA-'82
8	Gordon Banks, WR	8	Banks, Gordon (3)	WR	5-10	175	3/12/58	Los Angeles, Calif.	Stanford	FA-'82
9	Larry Gentry, QB	41	Benbow, Chuck (1)	RB	5-10	210	10/ 2/57	Philippine Islands	Long Beach State	FA-'82
15	Carlton Finister, RB	97	Brown, Don	T	6-5	250	4/ 2/59	San Jose, Calif.	Santa Clara	FA-'82
16	Tony Jackson, WR	1	Browne, Michael (1)	K	6-3	205	3/18/57	San Jose, Calif.	Idaho	FA-'82
17	Curt Miller, WR	7	Buford, Maury	P	6-1	180	2/18/60	Mt. Pleasant, Tex.	Texas Tech	DB-'82
19	Dart Ramsey, DB	20	Byers, Scott	FS	5-11	180	7/ 3/58	Bayonne, N.J.	Long Beach State	FA-'82
20	Scott Byers, FS	71	Cook, Fred (8)	DE	6-4	252	4/15/52	Pascagoula, Miss.	Southern Mississippi	FA-'82
22	Hollis Hall, CB	93	Doolittle, Steve (1)	LB	6-3	225	1/ 5/59	Kansas City, Kan.	Colorado	FA-'82
24	Derrick Martin, CB	82	Duckworth, Bobby (1)	WR	6-2½	198	11/27/58	Crossell, Ark.	Arkansas	D6B-'81
26	Jeff Allen, CB	34	Ellis, Russell (1)	RB	5-11	185	12/13/56	Houston, Tex.	Nevada-Las Vegas	FA-'82
27	Mike Back, DB	15	Finister, Carlton	RB	5-11	195	1/20/59	Monroe, La.	Northwestern State, La.	FA-'82
31	Tyrone Justin, DB	83	Foppe, Rod	WR	5-10	180	2/26/56	Shreveport, La.	Louisiana Tech	FA-'82
33	Anthony Watson, S	9	Gentry, Larry (1)	QB	6-1½	182	8/25/58	Scottsbluff, Neb.	Nevada-Las Vegas	FA-'82
34	Russell Ellis, RB	75	Gissinger, Andrew (1)	T	6-4	280	7/ 4/59	Barberton, Ohio	Syracuse	D6A-'81
35	Steve Whitman, LB	95	Goedeker, Mike	LB	6-0	222	8/25/59	Rochester, Pa.	Miami, Fla.	FA-'82
36	Jimmy Lee Tucker, RB-WR	22	Hall, Hollis	CB	5-9	173	5/19/60	Seneca, S.C.	Clemson	D7-'82
38	Donald King, RB	65	Hendrix, Brad (1)	G	6-4	245	3/17/57	Birmingham, Ala.	North Alabama	FA-'80
39	Henry Monroe, DB	16	Jackson, Tony	WR	6-0	185	12/11/59	Atlanta, Ga.	Tennessee-Chattanooga	FA-'82
41	Chuck Benbow, RB	31	Justin, Tyrone	DB	5-10	174	1/17/58	New Orleans, La.	Fullerton State	FA-'82
49	Andre Young, S	38	King, Donald	RB	5-11	201	2/13/60	Laurel, Miss.	Mississippi State	FA-'82
60	Dennis McKnight, C-G	78	Lyles, Warren	DT	6-1	261	7/ 2/59	Birmingham, Ala.	Alabama	D9-'82
65	Brad Hendrix, G	24	Martin, Derrick (1)	CB	5-11½	185	5/31/57	Los Angeles, Calif.	San Jose State	FA-'82
69	Greg Sykes, T	60	McKnight, Dennis (1)	C-G	6-2	260	9/12/59	Dallas, Tex.	Drake	FA-'82
71	Fred Cook, DE	17	Miller, Curt	WR	6-2	200	2/ 9/60	Ventura, Calif.	Weber State, Utah	FA-'82
75	Andrew Gissinger, T	39	Monroe, Henry (2)	DB	5-11	180	12/30/56	Mobile, Ala.	Mississippi State	FA-'82
78	Warren Lyles, DT	94	Nelson, Derrie (1)	LB	6-2	225	2/ 8/58	York, Neb.	Nebraska	FA-'82
82	Bobby Duckworth, WR	96	Peets, Brian (4)	TE	6-3	230	11/15/56	Linden, Calif.	Pacific	FA-'82
83	Rod Foppe, WR	84	Phillips, Henry	WR	6-1	170	3/24/57	Los Angeles, Calif.	Long Beach State	FA-'82
84	Henry Phillips, WR	19	Ramsey, Dart	DB	6-2	200	8/19/60	Dayton, Ohio	Indiana	FA-'82
86	Ned Armour, WR	3	Spadafore, Tom (1)	P-K	6-2	205	5/ 3/58	Stockton, Calif.	Boise State	FA-'82
91	Richard Ackerman, DT	69	Sykes, Greg (1)	T	6-5½	275	10/30/58	Los Angeles, Calif.	Washington State	FA-'82
93	Steve Doolittle, LB	5	Tolbert, Mark (1)	WR	5-9½	180	2/15/59	Gregg County, Tex.	Cal Poly-Pomona	FA-'82
94	Derrie Nelson, LB	36	Tucker, Jimmy Lee (1)	RB-WR	5-11	188	12/14/57	Shelby, Miss.	Nevada-Las Vegas	FA-'82
95	Mike Goedeker, LB	33	Watson, Anthony	S	6-0	205	11/ 9/59	Tampa, Tex.	New Mexico State	D11-'82
96	Brian Peets, TE	35	Whitman, Steve (1)	LB	6-3	231	6/27/57	Birmingham, Ala.	Alabama	D9-'80
97	Don Brown, T	49	Young, Andre	S	5-11½	196	11/22/60	Monroe, La.	Louisiana Tech	D10-'82

(1) Previous Tryout—Ackerman, San Diego, 1981, injured reserve; Benbow, Seattle, 1979; Browne, Atlanta, 1981; Doolittle, Buffalo, 1981; Duckworth, San Diego, 1981, injured reserve; Ellis, Denver, 1979; Gentry, Oakland, 1981; Gissinger, San Diego, 1981, injured reserve; Hendrix, Dallas, 1979, San Diego, 1980-81, injured reserve; Martin, Dallas, 1981; McKnight, Cleveland, 1981; Nelson, Dallas, 1981; Spadafore, Washington, 1981; Sykes, Seattle, 1982; Tucker, Los Angeles, 1979; Whitman, San Diego, 1980-81, injured reserve.

NFL Experience—Allen played in 16 games for Miami in 1980. Banks played 13 games with New Orleans, 1980-81; Cook last active with Baltimore, 1980. Monroe played in 3 games for Green Bay and 3 games for Philadelphia in 1979. Peets played in 5 games with San Francisco in 1981.

1982 Veterans Roster

Numerical Roster		No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	College	Residence	Games in '81
4	George Roberts, P	37	Bauer, Hank	RB	5-11	204	6	7/15/54	California Lutheran	San Diego, Calif.	16
6	Rolf Benirschke, K	45	Beaudoin, Doug	SS	6-0	190	7	5/15/54	Minnesota	Foxboro, Mass.	4
11	Ed Luther, QB	42	Bell, Ricky	RB	6-2	220	6	4/ 8/55	Southern California	Los Angeles, Calif.	7
12	James Harris, QB	6	Benirschke, Rolf	K	6-1	178	6	2/ 7/55	California-Davis	San Diego, Calif.	16
14	Dan Fouts, QB	50	Bradley, Carlos	LB	6-1/4	221	2	4/27/60	Wake Forest	Philadelphia, Pa.	8
18	Charlie Joiner, WR	21	Brooks, James	RB	5-9	180	2	12/28/58	Auburn	Warner Robbins, Ga.	14
21	James Brooks, RB	28	Buchanan, Willie	CB	6-1/2	185	11	11/14/50	San Diego State	San Diego, Calif.	16
23	Irvin Phillips, CB	25	Cappelletti, John	FB	6-1	224	8	8/ 9/52	Penn State	Westminster, Calif.	16
25	John Cappelletti, FB	89	Chandler, Wes	WR	5-11	186	5	8/22/56	Florida	New Orleans, La.	12
28	Willie Buchanan, CB	77	Claphan, Sam	T	6-6	267	2	10/10/56	Oklahoma	Norman, Okla.	16
29	Mike Williams, CB	73	DeJurnett, Charles	DT	6-4	260	6	6/17/52	San Jose State	San Diego, Calif.	0
30	Bruce Laird, SS	47	Duncan, Frank	SS	6-1	188	4	11/ 6/56	San Francisco State	Daly City, Calif.	7
32	Wyatt Henderson, CB	76	Ferguson, Keith	DE	6-5	240	2	4/ 3/59	Ohio State	Miami, Fla.	16
37	Hank Bauer, RB	81	Fitzkee, Scott	WR	6-0	187	4	8/ 4/57	Penn State	Redlion, Pa.	5
40	Clarence Williams, FB	14	Fouts, Dan	QB	6-3	204	10	6/10/51	Oregon	Sisters, Ore.	16
42	Ricky Bell, RB	48	Fox, Tim	FS	6-0	185	7	11/ 1/53	Ohio State	Foxboro, Mass.	16
43	Bob Gregor, FS	43	Gregor, Bob	FS	6-2	187	2	2/10/57	Washington State	San Diego, Calif.	14
45	Doug Beaudoin, SS	12	Harris, James	QB	6-3 1/2	221	13	7/20/47	Grambling	Los Angeles, Calif.	1
46	Chuck Muncie, RB	32	Henderson, Wyatt	CB	5-10	180	2	11/10/56	Fresno State	Los Angeles, Calif.	15
47	Frank Duncan, SS	88	Holohan, Pete	TE	6-4	226	2	7/25/59	Notre Dame	Cortland, N.Y.	7
48	Tim Fox, FS	79	Johnson, Gary	DT	6-3	252	8	8/31/53	Grambling	San Diego, Calif.	16
50	Carlos Bradley, LB	18	Joiner, Charlie	WR	5-11	183	14	10/14/47	Grambling	Houston, Tex.	16
51	Woodrow Lowe, LB	68	Jones, Leroy	DE	6-8	271	7	9/29/50	Norfolk State, Va.	San Diego, Calif.	16
52	Ray Preston, LB	74	Kelcher, Louie	DT	6-5	282	8	8/23/53	Southern Methodist	Olivenhain, Calif.	14
53	David Lewis, LB	57	King, Linden	LB	6-4	237	5	6/28/55	Colorado State	El Cajon, Calif.	16
54	Jim Laslavic, MLB	30	Laird, Bruce	SS	6-1	194	11	5/23/50	American International, Mass.	Towson, Maryland	15
55	Jeff Siemon, LB	54	Laslavic, Jim	MLB	6-2 1/2	229	9	10/24/51	Penn State	Coronado, Calif.	16
56	Bob Rush, C-T	53	Lewis, David	LB	6-4 1/2	240	6	10/15/54	Southern California	Tampa, Fla.	13
57	Linden King, LB	64	Loewen, Chuck	G-T	6-3 1/2	259	3	1/23/57	South Dakota	Tempe, Ariz.	9
58	Dewey Selmon, LB	51	Lowe, Woodrow	LB	6-0	227	7	6/ 9/54	Alabama	San Diego, Calif.	16
59	Cliff Thrift, MLB	11	Luther, Ed	QB	6-2 1/2	211	3	1/ 2/57	San Jose State	Carlsbad, Calif.	16
62	Don Macek, C	62	Macek, Don	C	6-2 1/2	253	7	7/ 2/54	Boston College	San Diego, Calif.	15
63	Doug Wilkerson, G	46	Muncie, Chuck	RB	6-3	218	7	3/17/53	California	Kenner, La.	15
64	Chuck Loewen, G-T	23	Phillips, Irvin	CB	6-1	192	2	1/23/60	Arkansas Tech	San Diego, Calif.	15
66	Billy Shields, T	52	Preston, Ray	LB	6-0	218	7	1/25/54	Syracuse	San Diego, Calif.	16
67	Ed White, G	4	Roberts, George	P	6-0	186	5	6/10/54	Virginia Tech	Miami Springs, Fla.	16
68	Leroy Jones, DE	56	Rush, Bob	C-T	6-5	264	5	2/27/55	Memphis State	Germantown, Tenn.	16
70	Russ Washington, T	87	Scales, Dwight	WR	6-2	185	6	5/30/53	Grambling	San Diego, Calif.	16
72	Jeff Williams, G-T	58	Selmon, Dewey	LB	6-1	240	7	11/19/53	Oklahoma	Norman, Okla.	0
73	Charles DeJurnett, DT	66	Shields, Billy	T	6-8	275	8	8/23/53	Georgia Tech	San Diego, Calif.	16
74	Louie Kelcher, DT	55	Siemon, Jeff	LB	6-2	235	11	6/ 2/50	Stanford	Edina, Minn.	16
76	Keith Ferguson, DE	85	Sievers, Eric	TE	6-4	235	2	11/ 9/57	Maryland	San Diego, Calif.	16
77	Sam Claphan, T	59	Thrift, Cliff	MLB	6-2	232	4	5/ 3/56	East Central Oklahoma	San Diego, Calif.	7
79	Gary Johnson, DT	70	Washington, Russ	T	6-7	288	15	12/17/46	Missouri	San Diego, Calif.	13
80	Kellen Winslow, TE	67	White, Ed	G	6-2 1/2	271	14	4/ 4/47	California	La Costa, Calif.	16
81	Scott Fitzkee, WR	63	Wilkerson, Doug	G	6-3	254	13	3/27/47	North Carolina Central	Spring Valley, Calif.	16
85	Eric Sievers, TE	40	Williams, Clarence	FB	5-10	185	6	1/25/55	South Carolina	San Diego, Calif.	14
87	Dwight Scales, WR	72	Williams, Jeff	G-T	6-4	260	5	4/15/55	Rhode Island	Fairfax, Va.	12
88	Pete Holohan, TE	29	Williams, Mike	CB	5-10	179	8	11/22/53	Louisiana State	San Diego, Calif.	14
89	Wes Chandler, WR	80	Winslow, Kellen	TE	6-5 1/2	242	4	11/ 5/57	Missouri	San Diego, Calif.	16
90	John Woodcock, DE	90	Woodcock, John	DE	6-3	255	6	3/19/54	Hawaii	Fremont, Calif.	12
99	Wilbur Young, DT	99	Young, Wilbur	DT	6-6	290	12	4/20/49	William Penn, Iowa	Kansas City, Mo.	5

on his left hand, broken in Denver two weeks before. Dan Fouts passed for 310 yards, the twenty-second time he has passed for more than 300-yards in his career.

Minnesota	0	14	10	9	— 33
San Diego	7	7	10	7	— 31

SD—Muncie 2 run (Benirschke kick)
 Min—Young 15 pass from Kramer
 (Danmeier kick)
 Min—Brown 4 pass from Kramer
 (Danmeier kick)
 SD—Scales 60 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 SD—FG Benirschke 39
 Min—LeCount 26 pass from Kramer
 (Danmeier kick)
 SD—Joiner 38 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 Min—FG Danmeier 28
 SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)
 Min—LeCount 43 pass from Kramer
 (kick failed)
 Min—FG Danmeier 38

Team Statistics

	Minnesota	San Diego
First Downs	29	18
Rushes—Yards	30-93	29-120
Passing Yards	433	305
Total Yards	526	425
Had QB sacked	1-11	1-5
Passes	43-27-2	38-20-0
Punts	3-48.7	4-41.3
Fumbles/Lost	4-1	1-1
Penalties/Yards	3-22	8-75

Tickets issued—52,553
 Attendance—50,708

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Minnesota: Brown 21-68, Young 5-9, LeCount 1-17, Kramer 3-(-1).
 San Diego: Muncie 21-102, 2 TDs, Cappelletti 4-9, Fouts 4-9.
 PASSING—Minnesota: Kramer 43-27-2, 444 yards, 4 TDs.
 San Diego: Fouts 38-20-0, 310 yards, 2 TDs.
 RECEIVING—Minnesota: Brown 5-109, 1 TD, Senger 7-100, Young 3-28, 1 TD, S. White 3-53, Rashad 3-34, LeCount 6-120, 2 TDs.
 San Diego: Chandler 4-61, Joiner 6-97, 1TD, Winslow 3-33, Scales 3-80, 1 TD.

Week 7

San Diego 43, at Baltimore 14

Sunday, Oct. 18

The Chargers climbed back into a first-place tie in the AFC West with Denver and Kansas City, all 5-2. The Chargers collected 470 yards in total offense, 298 through the air and 172 on the ground. Chargers no. 1 draft pick James Brooks led the ground attack with the best rushing performance of his career, gaining 72 yards in 14 attempts for a 5.1-yard average. Brooks had been sidelined the prior two weeks by a hamstring pull. The Chargers' defense allowed a total of 264 yards, lowest of the year, while sacking Colts quarterback Bert Jones 6 times for 59 yards.

San Diego	7	16	7	13	— 43
Baltimore	7	0	7	0	— 14

Bal—Carr 29 pass from Jones
 (Wood kick)
 SD—Muncie 3 run (Benirschke kick)
 SD—Cappelletti 12 pass from Fouts
 (kick failed)
 SD—Joiner 23 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)
 SD—FG Benirschke 30
 SD—Muncie 3 run (Benirschke kick)
 Bal—Dickey 5 pass from Jones
 (Wood kick)
 SD—Cappelletti 1 run (kick failed)
 SD—C. Williams 7 pass from Fouts
 (Benirschke kick)

Team Statistics

	San Diego	Baltimore
First Downs	30	18
Rushes—Yards	37-172	16-68
Passing Yards	298	196
Total Yards	470	264
Had QB sacked	0-0	6-59
Passes	43-26-0	37-20-2
Punts	4-45.3	6-37.2
Fumbles/Lost	1-1	2-1
Penalties/Yards	6-30	5-45

Tickets issued—48,679
 Attendance—41,921

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Muncie 14-61, 2 TDs, J. Brooks 14-72, Fouts 1-13, Cappelletti 7-22, 1 TD, Bauer 1-4.
 Baltimore: Dickey 6-32, McMillan 8-27, B. Jones 2-9.
 PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 43-26-0, 298 yards, 3 TDs.
 Baltimore: B. Jones, 37-20-2, 255 yards, 2 TDs.
 RECEIVING—San Diego: Scales 1-27, Chandler 2-38, J. Brooks 4-23, Muncie 4-16, Joiner 6-82, 1 TD, Winslow 4-64, Holohan 1-14, Cappelletti 1-12, 1 TD, C. Williams 1-7, 1 TD, Sievers 2-15.
 Baltimore: Butler 4-42, Carr 3-63, 1 TD, McMillan 6-60, McCall 3-52, Dickey 3-17, 1 TD, Burke 1-21.

Week 8

San Diego 17, at Chicago 20, OT Sunday, Oct. 25

John Roveto's 26-yard field goal after 9:30 of the fifth quarter gave the Chicago Bears the victory over the Chargers on a 46-degree afternoon at Soldier Field. The Bears marched 18 yards in 7 plays to the winning field goal after Dan Fouts' pass to Wes Chandler was intercepted by Gary Fencik at the Chicago 41-yard line and returned 32 yards to San Diego's 27-yard line. Fouts twice had brought the Chargers even after the Bears, leading almost all the way, secured advantages of 10-3 and 17-10 in the fourth quarter. Fouts collaborated on a 22-yard pass play with Charlie Joiner to tie the score at 10 with 10:15 left in the fourth quarter. Fouts passed 39 yards to Wes Chandler to deadlock the game at 17 with 1:40 left and send the game into overtime. The defeat left the Chargers with a 4-3 record in overtime games.

San Diego	0	3	0	14	0	— 17
Chicago	7	3	0	7	3	— 20

Chi—Suhey 7 yard run (Roveto kick)
SD—FG Benirschke 18
Chi—FG Roveto 31
SD—Joiner 22 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
Chi—Payton 2 run (Roveto kick)
SD—Chandler 39 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
Chi—FG Roveto 26

Team Statistics	San Diego	Chicago
First Downs	15	28
Rushes—Yards	20-61	61-195
Passing Yards	295	219
Total Yards	356	414
Had QB sacked	0-0	0-0
Passes	43-13-2	39-17-0
Punts	5-44 0	7-41 1
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties/Yards	10-64	9-67

Tickets issued—64,410
Attendance—52,905

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: J. Brooks 7-39, Muncie 12-21, Cappelletti 1-1.

Chicago: Suhey 22-64, 1 TD, Payton 36-107, 1 TD, Evans 3-24.

PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 43-13-2, 295 yards, 2 TDs.

Chicago: Evans 39-17-0, 219 yards, 0 TDs.

RECEIVING—San Diego: Joiner 5-124, 1 TD, Chandler 2-69, 1 TD, Winslow 4-78, J. Brooks 1-4, Scales 1-20.

Chicago: Baschnagel 5-80, Margerum 4-83, Payton 3-22, Suhey 3-17, Cobb 1-9, Earl 1-8.

Week 9

San Diego 22, Kansas City 20 Sunday, Nov. 1

San Diego won on a Rolf Benirschke 22-yard field goal with :13 left in regulation. Wes Chandler's 23-yard reception when the Chargers were fourth-and-nine at the Chiefs' 47-yard line set up the winning kick. Benirschke had missed an extra point in the second quarter. The drive started on the Chargers' 26-yard-line and consumed 6:19. Three Chiefs' fumbles in the first half led to three Charger scores, including two touchdown runs by Chuck Muncie and a Benirschke field goal. A Nick Lowery kick gave the Chiefs a 20-19 lead with 6:32 remaining.

Kansas City	7	0	7	6	— 20
San Diego	7	12	0	3	— 22

SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)
KC—Hadnot 2 run (Lowery kick)
SD—Muncie 4 run (Benirschke kick)
SD—FG Benirschke 29
SD—FG Benirschke 19
KC—B. Jackson 2 pass from Kenney
(Lowery kick)
KC—FG Lowery 21
KC—FG Lowery 32
SD—FG Benirschke 22

Team Statistics	Kansas City	San Diego
First Downs	26	21
Rushes—Yards	41-177	25-82
Passing Yards	162	297
Total Yards	339	379
Had QB sacked	4-28	0-0
Passes	22-13-0	39-24-1
Punts	5-35 2	4-48 0
Fumbles/Lost	5-3	6-3
Penalties/Yards	10-74	8-48

Tickets issued—52,657
Attendance—51,307

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Kansas City: Delaney 23-117, Hadnot 10-47, 1 TD, Kenney 4-7, B. Jackson 4-6.

San Diego: Muncie 16-63, 2 TDs, J. Brooks 5-23, C. Williams 3-7, Chandler 1-(-11).

PASSING—Kansas City: Kenney 22-13-0, 190 yards, 1 TD.

San Diego: Fouts 39-24-1, 297 yards.

RECEIVING—Kansas City: Smith 5-92, Dixon 3-32, Marshall 2-44, Delaney 1-(-6), B. Jackson 1-2, 1 TD, Scott 1-26.

San Diego: Muncie 6-71, J. Brooks 6-62, Winslow 6-38, Joiner 3-48, Sievers 1-31, Chandler 2-47.

Week 10

Cincinnati 40, at San Diego 17

Sunday, Nov. 8

Cornerback Louis Breeden's 102-yard interception return for a touchdown near the end of the first half put the Bengals in front 31-7 and deflated the Chargers hopes for a comeback. It was first-and-goal on the Cincinnati four-yard-line. Dan Fouts aimed a pass in the direction of Charlie Joiner and Wes Chandler. Breeden stepped in front and picked off the pass that resulted in a 14-point turnaround. Cincinnati scored 21 points in 5:13 in the second quarter. Cincinnati blitzed and employed 5 down linemen to harass Fouts and record 6 sacks.

Cincinnati	10	21	0	9	—	40
San Diego	0	10	0	7	—	17

Cin—Curtis 4 pass from Anderson
(Breech kick)
Cin—FG Breech 43
SD—Chandler 26 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
Cin—Kreider 10 pass from Anderson
(Breech kick)
Cin—Alexander 1 run (Breech kick)
Cin—Breeden 102 interception return
(Breech kick)
SD—FG Benirschke 47
Cin—FG Breech 33
Cin—Johnson 2 run (kick failed)
SD—Chandler 51 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)

Team Statistics

	Cincinnati	San Diego
First Downs	29	25
Rushes—Yards	40-124	22-136
Passing Yards	337	311
Total Yards	461	447
Had QB sacked	3-19	6-41
Passes	33-21-1	41-20-2
Punts	4-42.8	5-39.2
Fumbles/Lost	3-1	4-3
Penalties/Yards	7-45	11-67

Tickets issued—52,662

Attendance—51,259

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Cincinnati: Johnson 20-42, 1 TD, Alexander 8-25, 1 TD, Anderson 3-35, A. Griffin 6-12, Verser 1-9, Hargrove 2-1.

San Diego: Muncie 17-90, J. Brooks 4-45, Fouts 1-1.

PASSING—Cincinnati: Anderson 28-18-1, 288 yards, 2 TDs, Thompson 4-2-0, 32 yards, Schöner 1-1-0, 36 yards.

San Diego: Fouts 40-20-2, 352 yards, 2 TDs, Chandler 1-0-0.

RECEIVING—Cincinnati: Curtis 8-147, 1 TD, Collinsworth 4-97, A. Griffin 2-27, Kreider 3-41, 1 TD, Ross 2-38, Alexander 1-4, M. L. Harris 1-2.

San Diego: Chandler 10-194, 2 TDs, Winslow 3-33, Joiner 2-14.

Week 11

Seattle 44, San Diego 23

Monday, Nov. 16

The Chargers slipped to 6-5 for the season and dropped to third place in the AFC West. They trail first-place Denver by two games with five to play. Seattle beat the Chargers for the first time after losing 8 straight regular-season meetings. The Seahawks scored 17 straight points in the second quarter, including an 18-yard touchdown pass from Jim Zorn to Sherman Smith out of field-goal formation. The Seahawks stopped the Chargers on four plays from the Seattle 4-yard line early in the third period. Seattle took over and moved to the twenty before Zorn connected with Dan Doornink on an 80-yard touchdown pass. San Diego lost three fumbles, had one interception, and incurred 138 yards in penalties. Each turnover led to a Seattle score.

San Diego	7	10	0	6	—	23
Seattle	0	24	14	6	—	44

SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)
Sea—FG Herrera 25
Sea—T. Brown 2 run (Herrera kick)
Sea—Smith 18 pass from Zorn
(Herrera kick)
SD—Muncie 73 run (Benirschke kick)
Sea—T. Brown 1 run (Herrera kick)
SD—FG Benirschke 32
Sea—Doornink 80 pass from Zorn
(Herrera kick)
Sea—Doornink 3 run (Herrera kick)
Sea—FG Herrera 30
SD—Chandler 22 pass from Fouts
(kick blocked)
Sea—FG Herrera 23

Team Statistics

	San Diego	Seattle
First Downs	26	24
Rushes—Yards	30-195	37-156
Passing Yards	291	212
Total Yards	486	368
Had QB sacked	0-0	0-0
Passes	43-24-1	22-11-0
Punts	1-40.0	2-41.0
Fumbles/Lost	4-3	0-0
Penalties/Yards	13-138	6-54

Tickets issued—64,746

Attendance—58,628

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Muncie 20-151, 2 TDs, Brooks 6-28, Cappelletti 4-16.

Seattle: T. Brown 18-83, 2 TDs, Smith 9-43.

PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 34-20-1, 252 yards, 1 TD, Luther 9-4-0, 39 yards.

Seattle: Zorn 22-11-0, 212 yards, 2 TDs.

RECEIVING—San Diego: Brooks 9-90, Winslow 7-106, Chandler 2-48, 1 TD.

Seattle: Largent 3-44, Doornink 1-80, 1 TD, Sawyer 1-23, Smith 1-18, 1 TD, Johns 1-12, Raible 1-12, T. Brown 1-10, McCullum 1-7, Hughes 1-6.

Week 12

San Diego 55, at Oakland 21

Sunday, Nov. 22

The Charger victory, coupled with a Denver loss, moved San Diego to within one game of first place in the AFC West. No team had scored 55 points on the Raiders since 1961. Dan Fouts threw 6 touchdown passes, a club record. Kellen Winslow caught 5 touchdown passes, a club record that also tied an NFL record set by Bob Shaw of the Chicago Cardinals in 1950. Winslow's 13 receptions tied a team record. The game was close through the first two quarters with the teams alternating touchdowns and San Diego leading 28-21 at half. But two interceptions early in the third quarter positioned San Diego for touchdowns. San Diego scored the last 41 points of the game. The defense collected 7 sacks on the day, 4 by Gary Johnson.

San Diego	7	21	20	7 - 55	Team Statistics	San	
Oakland	7	14	0	0 - 21		Diego	Oakland
Oak—Ramsey 66 pass from Wilson (Bahr kick)					First Downs	31	17
SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)					Rushes—Yards	38-148	17-59
Oak—Jensen 2 run (Bahr kick)					Passing Yards	317	283
SD—Brooks 12 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)					Total Yards	465	342
Oak—Wilson 12 run (Bahr kick)					Had QB sacked	1-7	7-56
SD—Winslow 15 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)					Passes	47-30-1	43-20-3
SD—Winslow 29 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)					Punts	3-43.0	5-39.2
SD—Winslow 4 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)					Fumbles/Lost	1-1	2-0
SD—Winslow 5 pass from Fouts (kick failed)					Penalties/Yards	5-30	10-72
SD—Joiner 6 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)					Tickets Issued—54,568		
SD—Winslow 3 pass from Muncie (Benirschke kick)					Attendance—50,199		

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Brooks 17-97, Muncie 17-45, 1 TD, Cappelletti 4-6. Oakland: King 8-21, Jensen 5-19, 1 TD, Wilson 2-16, 1 TD, Hawkins 1-5, Whittington 1-(-2).

PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 44-28-1, 296 yards, 6 TDs, Muncie 1-1-0, 3 yards, 1 TD, Luther 1-1-0, 25 yards, Winslow 1-0-0.

Oakland: Wilson 24-12-2, 203 yards, 1 TD, Plunkett 19-8-1, 136 yards.

RECEIVING—San Diego: Winslow 13-144, 5 TDs, Brooks 5-38, 1 TD, Chandler 4-32, Joiner 3-38, 1 TD, Scales 2-39, Muncie 2-8, Cappelletti 1-25.

Oakland: Ramsey 4-122, 1 TD, Jensen 4-34, Chandler 3-56, Branch 3-31, Hawkins 2-44, King 2-14, Christensen 1-30, Chester 1-8.

Week 13

San Diego 34, Denver 17

Sunday, Nov. 29

Chuck Muncie carried the ball 16 times for 74 yards and scored 4 touchdowns in the first half. Muncie carried the ball only twice in the second half. He was not expected to play due to a tender right knee. Muncie's 4 touchdowns gave him 18 on the season, one short of the NFL record shared by Jim Taylor and Earl Campbell. The Chargers' win put the AFC West in a three-way tie for first, with San Diego, Denver and Kansas City all at 8-5. The Chargers broke early, scoring 14 points before the Broncos had a first down. The Chargers turned around the outcome of the teams first meeting. The Chargers turned the ball over five times in Week 4 and Denver turned it over five times in this game, with two of the turnovers leading to Charger scores. The other scores came on drives of 74, 61, and 64 yards. Punter George



Muncie scored four first-half touchdowns in Denver victory.

Jim Baird

Roberts kept Denver backed up in the second half with punts that went out of bounds at the Denver 8, 2, and 7-yard lines.

Denver	0	10	0	7 - 17
San Diego	14	13	7	0 - 34

SD—Muncie 14 run (Benirschke kick)
SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)
Den—Canada 4 run (Steinfott kick)
SD—Muncie 4 run (kick failed)
Den—FG Steinfott 21
SD—Muncie 3 run (Benirschke kick)
SD—Sievers 1 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
Den—Moses 10 pass from Deberg
(Steinfott kick)

Team Statistics

	Denver	San Diego
First Downs	19	20
Rushes—Yards	17-67	38-148
Passing Yards	322	260
Total Yards	389	408
Had QB sacked	4-31	0-0
Passes	46-26-3	34-21-1
Punts	4-40.5	6-38.5
Fumbles/Lost	3-2	2-1
Penalties/Yards	3-20	11-84

Tickets issued—52,670

Attendance—51,533

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Denver: Preston 5-25, Reed 4-2, Parros 5-36, Canada 1-4, 1 TD.

San Diego: Muncie 18-75, 4 TDs, Brooks 11-44, Chandler 1-9.

4-12, Cappelletti 3-9, Luther 1-(-1).

PASSING—Denver: Morton 31-19-2, 270 yards, DeBerg 15-7-1, 83 yards, 1 TD.

San Diego: Fouts 29-19-0, 256 yards, 1 TD, Luther 5-2-1, 4 yards.

RECEIVING—Denver: Preston 4-43, Egloff 2-30, Odoms 1-21, Upchurch 4-86, Moses 3-32, 1 TD, Parros 2-16, Reed 6-30, Watson 4-95.

San Diego: Chandler 4-111, Winslow 3-18, Brooks 3-15, Muncie 4-30, Joiner 2-27, Sievers 4-36, 1 TD, Scales 1-23.

Week 14

Buffalo 28, at San Diego 27

Sunday, Dec. 6

San Diego opened the scoring early in the first period when Chuck Muncie ran nine yards for a touchdown. Muncie's score was his nineteenth of the season rushing, tying an NFL record. The Bills trailed 4 times. After Roosevelt Leaks tied the score at 21 in the third quarter, the Chargers drove to the Bills' 11-yard line where they had to settle for a Rolf Benirschke 29-yard field goal. On the next series, Buffalo went 68 yards in 9 plays with Joe Cribbs scoring from one yard out. It marked Buffalo's first lead of the game. The Chargers got to the Bills' 2-yard line on a Buffalo pass interference penalty. A holding call moved the Chargers back on the next play and again they had to settle for a field goal. Trailing 28-27 with 2:00 left in the game, the Chargers and Muncie drove to the Bills' 31-yard line in hope of a winning field goal, but a Muncie fumble ended the drive.

Buffalo	7	7	14	0 - 28
San Diego	7	14	3	3 - 27

Team Statistics

	Buffalo	San Diego
First Downs	19	28
Rushes—Yards	34-84	32-145
Passing Yards	234	337
Total Yards	318	482
Had QB sacked	2-14	1-6
Passes	29-13-0	42-28-1
Punts	7-37.0	4-33.3
Fumbles/Lost	0-0	3-1
Penalties/Yards	9-88	8-78

Tickets issued—52,663

Attendance—51,488

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Buffalo: Leaks 8-28, 2 TDs, Cribbs 14-35, 1 TD, Ferguson 5-4, 1 TD, Hooks 1-8, Franklin 1-(-11), Brown 5-20.

San Diego: Muncie 22-119, 1 TD, Brooks 3-3, Fouts 3-(-2), Chandler 1-4, Cappelletti 3-21.

PASSING—Buffalo: Ferguson 29-13-0, 248 yards.

San Diego: Fouts 42-28-1, 343 yards, 2 TDs.

RECEIVING—Buffalo: Lewis 5-113, Butler 2-19, Cribbs 2-67, Leaks 1-9, Piccone 2-24, Barnett 1-16.

San Diego: Joiner 7-106, Brooks 3-9, Winslow 6-126, 1 TD, Muncie 4-36, Chandler 7-60, 1 TD, Scales 1-6.

Week 15

San Diego 24, Tampa Bay 23

Sunday, Dec. 13

Placekicker Rolf Benirschke kicked a 29-yard field goal with :45 remaining in the game to give the Chargers the victory. Dan Fouts had moved the team 60 yards in 16 plays to position Benirschke. With Chuck Muncie limping early and then out altogether with a leg injury, Fouts went to the air and broke the Chargers' record for completions in a game with 33. The most important completion was one of the shortest, coming on fourth and one at the Tampa 34-yard line with little more than two minutes to play. The Chargers got the first down on a 3-yard pass to tight end Kellen Winslow. James Brooks' 1-yard touchdown run with 11:52 to play had given the Chargers a 21-10 lead. However, the Buccaneers scored two touchdowns in the span of 27 seconds to take a 23-21 lead with 8:06 left in the game.

San Diego	7	7	0	10	- 24
Tampa Bay	7	0	3	13	- 23

SD—Sievers 27 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
TB—T. Bell 58 pass from Williams
(Capece kick)
SD—Cappelletti 8 run (Benirschke kick)
TB—FG Capece 49
SD—Brooks 1 run (Benirschke kick)
TB—Wilder 8 run (kick failed)
TB—Wilder 23 run (Capece kick)
SD—FG Benirschke 29

Team Statistics	San Diego	Tampa Bay
First Downs	27	18
Rushes—Yards	31-94	19-114
Passing Yards	351	290
Total Yards	445	404
Had QB sacked	0-0	3-31
Passes	51-33-2	36-22-2
Punts	4-47.3	5-41.0
Fumbles/Lost	2-2	2-1
Penalties/Yards	5-30	3-30

Tickets issued—72,128
Attendance—67,388

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Brooks 17-50, 1 TD, Cappelletti 9-32, 1 TD, Muncie 3-17, Chandler 1-(-8).

Tampa Bay: R. Bell 2-0, Owens 11-61, Williams 1-17, Wilder 4-34, 2 TDs, Eckwood 1-2.

PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 49-33-2, 351 yards, 1 TD, Winslow 1-0, Chandler 1-0. Tampa Bay: Williams 35-22-2, 321 yards, 1 TD, House 1-0.

RECEIVING—San Diego: Chandler 8-112, Joiner 7-99, Winslow 8-55, Sievers 1-27, 1 TD, Brooks 7-31, Cappelletti 1-5, Scales 1-22.

Tampa Bay: T. Bell 3-96, 1 TD, Owens 4-36, Wilder 6-78.

Week 16

San Diego 23, Oakland 10

Monday, Dec. 21

San Diego won the AFC West title for the third year in a row. It was also the third year in a row the Chargers finished the season on Monday night with the title riding on the game. The Chargers controlled the ball on the ground behind the running of Chuck Muncie and James Brooks. Dan Fouts went to the air when he had to and, in the process, broke his National Football League single-season record for passing yardage with 222 yards. The two Chargers touchdowns in the first half came as a result of turnovers. James Brooks' 28-yard run came following a Malcolm Barnwell fumble and Charlie Joiner's 29-yard touchdown catch came after a Willie Buchanan interception. The Chargers never trailed in the game in which Fouts set the record of 4,802 yards passing in a single season.

Oakland	0	3	0	7	- 10
San Diego	7	10	3	3	- 23

SD—Brooks 28 run (Benirschke kick)
Oak—FG Bahr 34
SD—FG Benirschke 24
SD—Joiner 29 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
Oak—Van Eeghen 1 run (Bahr kick)
SD—FG Benirschke 27
SD—FG Benirschke 39

Team Statistics	Oakland	San Diego
First Downs	20	21
Rushes—Yards	28-107	39-147
Passing Yards	229	214
Total Yards	336	361
Had QB sacked	3-26	1-8
Passes	38-14-1	27-14-0
Punts	4-43.8	5-25.4
Fumbles/Lost	1-1	0-0
Penalties/Yards	8-52	6-29

Tickets issued—52,975
Attendance—52,279

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—Oakland: Van Eeghen 8-18, 1 TD, Whittington 4-17, Jensen 5-14, Hawkins 7-27, Wilson 4-31.

San Diego: Muncie 28-94, Brooks 8-48, 1 TD, Cappelletti 3-5.

PASSING—Oakland: Plunkett 4-2-0, 36 yards, Wilson 34-12-1, 219 yards, San Diego: Fouts 27-14-0, 222 yards, 1 TD.

RECEIVING—Oakland: Whittington 1-10, Barnwell 2-43, Chandler 6-128.

San Diego: Chandler 2-48, Cappelletti 1-11, Sievers 1-32, Joiner 6-94, 1 TD.

Week 17

San Diego 41, at Miami 38, OT Saturday, Jan. 2

The Chargers traveled to the Miami Orange Bowl to face AFC East Division champion Miami and won an epic struggle, 41-38, on a 29-yard Rolf Benirschke field goal at the 13:52 mark of the first overtime period. San Diego jumped to an early 24-0 lead, only to have the Dolphins close the gap under the direction of substitute quarterback Don Strock. The score was 24-17 at halftime. The Dolphins knotted the score at 24 and again at 31 before assuming their first lead, 38-31, on 12-yard run by Tony Nathan. The Chargers took a Dolphin turnover and converted it into a 10-play, 82-yard drive, climaxed by a 9-yard pass from Dan Fouts to James Brooks with :58 remaining in regulation. A Dolphin 43-yard field goal with :04 remaining was blocked by Kellen Winslow, forcing the game into the overtime period, which presented both teams the opportunity to clinch victory on field goal attempts. Benirschke missed a 27-yard attempt and Uwe von Schamann had his second attempt blocked by Leroy Jones. The Chargers' game-winning drive was highlighted by receptions of 20 and 29 yards by Wes Chandler and Charlie Joiner, respectively. Dan Fouts' 33-53-433 passing performance resulted in records for completions, attempts, and yards in a division playoff. Kellen Winslow's 13 receptions broke the division playoff record of 10 by Pittsburgh's John Stallworth in 1978. The 56-yard punt return for a touchdown by Wes Chandler was the first punt return for a touchdown in an AFC division playoff. The punt return by Chandler was the first by a Charger since Mike Fuller broke for 88 yards in New Orleans Oct. 9, 1977. The Chargers broke 15 divisional playoff team records and tied two others. The 433 yards by Dan Fouts was his second highest career total, surpassed by the 444 yards Fouts compiled against the New York Giants Oct. 19, 1980. The total also represents the greatest single game performance in NFL postseason history, bettering Daryle Lamonica's 401 yards in the AFL Championship game against the New York Jets in 1968.

San Diego	24	0	7	7	3	—	41
Miami	0	17	14	7	0	—	38

SD—FG Benirschke 32
SD—Chandler 56 punt return
(Benirschke kick)
SD—Muncie 1 run (Benirschke kick)
SD—Brooks 8 run (Benirschke kick)
Mia—FG von Schamann 34
Mia—Rose 1 pass from Strock
(von Schamann kick)
Mia—Nathan 25 lateral from Harris
15 pass from Strock
(von Schamann kick)
Mia—Rose 15 pass from Strock
(von Schamann kick)
SD—Winslow 25 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
Mia—Hardy 50 pass from Strock
(von Schamann kick)
Mia—Nathan 12 run
(von Schamann kick)
SD—Brooks 9 pass from Fouts
(Benirschke kick)
SD—FG Benirschke 29

Team Statistics	San Diego	Miami
First Downs	33	25
Rushes—Yards	29-149	28-78
Passing Yards	415	394
Total Yards	564	472
Had QB sacked	2-18	3-29
Passing	54-33-1	41-30-2
Punts	4-40.3	5-42.0
Fumbles/Lost	3-3	2-1
Penalties/Yards	8-45	7-44

Tickets issued—75,023
Attendance—73,735

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Muncie 24-120, 1 TD, Brooks 3-19, Fouts 2-10.
Miami: Nathan 14-48, 1 TD, Franklin 9-6, Woodley 1-10, Hill 3-8, Vigorito 1-6.
PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 53-33-1, 433 yards, 3 TD, Muncie 1-0-0.
Miami: Woodley 5-2-1, 20 yards, Strock 43-29-1, 403 yards, 4 TD.
RECEIVING—San Diego: Winslow 13-166, 1 TD, Muncie 2-5, Chandler 6-106,
Joiner 7-108, Brooks 4-31, 2 TD, Scales 1-17.
Miami: Rose 4-37, 2 TD, Harris 6-106, Nathan 9-114, 1 TD, Cefalo 3-62, Hill 2-3,
Hardy 5-89, 1 TD, Vigorito 2-12.



Benirschke put end to 1981's most exciting game

Week 18

Cincinnati 27, San Diego 7

Sunday, Jan. 10, 1982

The Chargers lost to Cincinnati in the AFC Championship game on the coldest day in NFL history. Temperature in Cincinnati dipped to nine-degrees-below-zero with the wind-chill factor measuring 59-below zero. The Chargers reached the AFC Championship game for the second year in a row after dropping a 34-27 decision to Oakland in 1981. Cincinnati won the toss and elected to kick off forcing San Diego to go into the wind in the first quarter. The Bengals moved ahead 10-0 before the teams switched directions in the second period and the Chargers scored on their first possession on a 33-yard screen pass, Dan Fouts to Kellen Winslow. Cincinnati led 17-7 at halftime. The Chargers were the statistical leaders in the first half, but three turnovers within the Bengals' 33-yard line proved the difference. San Diego turned the ball over to start the third quarter leading to another Cincinnati score. A 3-yard touchdown pass from Ken Anderson to Don Bass culminated an 8:08 drive in the final period to clinch the Bengals victory. Wes Chandler led all receivers with 6 catches for 79 yards and Chuck Muncie led all rushers with 23 carries and 94 yards.

San Diego	0	7	0	0	—	7
Cincinnati	10	7	3	7	—	27

	Team Statistics	San Diego	Cincinnati
Cin—FG Breech 31	First Downs	18	19
Cin—Harris 8 pass from Anderson (Breech kick)	Rushes—Yards	31-128	36-143
SD—Winslow 33 pass from Fouts (Benirschke kick)	Passing Yards	173	175
Cin—Johnson 1 run (Breech kick)	Total Yards	301	318
Cin—FG Breech 38	Had QB sacked	2-12	0-0
Cin—Bass 3 pass from Anderson (Breech kick)	Passes	28-15-2	23-15-0
	Punts	2-29.5	3-30.6
	Fumbles/Lost	4-2	3-1
	Penalties/Yards	2-15	3-25

Tickets issued—59,497

Attendance—46,302

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING—San Diego: Muncie 23-94, Brooks 6-23, Cappelletti 1-5, Fouts 1-6.

Cincinnati: Johnson 21-80, 1 TD, Alexander 9-22, Anderson 5-39, Collinsworth 1-2.

PASSING—San Diego: Fouts 28-15-2, 185 yards, 1 TD.

Cincinnati: Anderson 22-14-0, 161 yards, 2 TD, Thompson 1-1-0, 14 yards.

RECEIVING—San Diego: Winslow 3-47, 1 TD, Chandler 6-79, Brooks 2-5, Joiner 3-41, Sievers 1-13.

Cincinnati: Alexander 3-25, Ross 5-69, Harris 1-8, 1 TD, Collinsworth 2-28, Curtis 2-28, Johnson 1-14, Bass 1-3, 1 TD.



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History



Series Results

Atlanta 2, Chargers 0

1970—Atlanta 41, at San Diego 0
1979—Atlanta 28, at San Diego 26

Baltimore 2, Chargers 2

1970—Baltimore 16, at San Diego 14
1972—San Diego 23, at Baltimore 20
1976—Baltimore 37, at San Diego 21
1981—San Diego 43, at Baltimore 14

Chargers 15, Buffalo 9, 2 Ties

1960—Los Angeles 24, at Buffalo 10
Buffalo 32, at Los Angeles 3
1961—San Diego 19, at Buffalo 11
at San Diego 28, Buffalo 10
1962—at Buffalo 35, San Diego 10
Buffalo 40, at San Diego 20
1963—at San Diego 14, Buffalo 10
San Diego 23, at Buffalo 13
1964—at Buffalo 30, San Diego 3
Buffalo 27, at San Diego 24
at Buffalo 20, San Diego 7*
1965—San Diego 34, at Buffalo 3
at San Diego 20, Buffalo 20
Buffalo 23, at San Diego 0*
1966—at San Diego 27, Buffalo 7
San Diego 17, at Buffalo 17
1967—San Diego 37, at Buffalo 17
1968—San Diego 21, at Buffalo 6
1969—at San Diego 45, Buffalo 6
1971—at San Diego 20, Buffalo 3
1973—at San Diego 34, Buffalo 7
1976—San Diego 34, at Buffalo 13
1979—at San Diego 27, Buffalo 19
1980—Buffalo 26, at San Diego 24
at San Diego 20, Buffalo 14**
1981—Buffalo 28, at San Diego 27
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Chargers 3, Chicago 1

1970—San Diego 20, at Chicago 7
1974—at San Diego 28, Chicago 21
1978—at San Diego 40, Chicago 7
1981—at Chicago 20, San Diego 17, OT

Chargers 8, Cincinnati 7

1968—at San Diego 20, Cincinnati 13
San Diego 31, at Cincinnati 10
1969—at Cincinnati 34, San Diego 20
at San Diego 21, Cincinnati 14
1970—Cincinnati 17, at San Diego 14
1971—at Cincinnati 31, San Diego 0
1973—Cincinnati 20, at San Diego 13
1974—San Diego 20, at Cincinnati 17
1975—at Cincinnati 47, San Diego 17
1977—at San Diego 24, Cincinnati 3
1978—at San Diego 22, Cincinnati 13
1979—San Diego 26, at Cincinnati 24
1980—San Diego 31, at Cincinnati 14
1981—Cincinnati 40, at San Diego 17
at Cincinnati 27, San Diego 7*
*AFC Championship

Chargers 4, Cleveland 2, 1 Tie

1970—San Diego 27, at Cleveland 10
1972—Cleveland 21, at San Diego 17
1973—San Diego 16, at Cleveland 16
1974—at San Diego 36, Cleveland 35
1976—at Cleveland 21, San Diego 17
1977—at San Diego 37, Cleveland 14
1981—San Diego 44, at Cleveland 14

Dallas 2, Chargers 0

1972—Dallas 34, at San Diego 28
1980—at Dallas 42, San Diego 31

Chargers 23, Denver 20, 1 Tie

1960—Los Angeles 23, at Denver 19
at Los Angeles 41, Denver 33
1961—at San Diego 37, Denver 16
San Diego 19, at Denver 0
1962—San Diego 21, at Denver 30
Denver 23, at San Diego 20
1963—at Denver 50, San Diego 34
at San Diego 58, Denver 20
1964—at San Diego 42, Denver 14
San Diego 31, at Denver 20
1965—at San Diego 34, Denver 31
San Diego 33, at Denver 21

1966—at San Diego 24, Denver 17
at Denver 20, San Diego 17
1967—San Diego 38, at Denver 21
at San Diego 24, Denver 20
1968—at San Diego 55, Denver 24
San Diego 47, at Denver 23
1969—at Denver 13, San Diego 0
at San Diego 45, Denver 24
1970—at San Diego 24, Denver 21
San Diego 17, at Denver 17
1971—at Denver 20, San Diego 16
at San Diego 45, Denver 17
1972—at San Diego 37, Denver 14
at Denver 38, San Diego 13
1973—at Denver 30, San Diego 19
Denver 42, at San Diego 28
1974—at Denver 27, San Diego 7
at San Diego 17, Denver 0
1975—Denver 27, at San Diego 17
at Denver 13, San Diego 10, OT
1976—at Denver 26, San Diego 0
Denver 17, at San Diego 0
1977—Denver 17, at San Diego 14
at Denver 17, San Diego 9
1978—at Denver 27, San Diego 14
at San Diego 23, Denver 0
1979—at Denver 7, San Diego 0
at San Diego 17, Denver 7
1980—San Diego 30, at Denver 13
Denver 20, at San Diego 13
1981—at Denver 42, San Diego 24
at San Diego 34, Denver 17

Detroit 3, Chargers 1

1972—at Detroit 34, San Diego 20
1977—at Detroit 20, San Diego 0
1978—at Detroit 31, San Diego 14
1981—at San Diego 28, Detroit 23

Green Bay 3, Chargers 0

1970—Green Bay 22, at San Diego 20
1974—at Green Bay 34, San Diego 0
1978—Green Bay 24, at San Diego 3

Chargers 15, Houston 11, 1 Tie

1960—at Houston 38, Los Angeles 28
at Los Angeles 24, Houston 21
at Houston 24, Los Angeles 16*
1961—at San Diego 34, Houston 24
at Houston 33, San Diego 13
Houston 10, at San Diego 3*
1962—Houston 42, at San Diego 17
at Houston 33, San Diego 27
1963—at San Diego 27, Houston 0
San Diego 20, at Houston 14
1964—at San Diego 27, Houston 21
San Diego 20, at Houston 17
1965—at San Diego 31, Houston 14
San Diego 37, at Houston 26
1966—San Diego 28, at Houston 22
1967—at San Diego 13, Houston 3
at Houston 24, San Diego 17
1968—at San Diego 30, Houston 14
1969—San Diego 21, at Houston 17
1970—at San Diego 31, Houston 31
1971—at Houston 49, San Diego 33
1972—at San Diego 34, Houston 20
1974—at Houston 21, San Diego 14
1975—at Houston 33, San Diego 17
1976—at San Diego 30, Houston 27
1978—San Diego 45, at Houston 24
1979—Houston 17, at San Diego 14†
*AFL Championship
†AFC Divisional Playoff

Chargers 23, Kansas City 20, 1 Tie

1960—at Los Angeles 21, Dallas 20
at Dallas 17, Los Angeles 0
1961—San Diego 26, at Dallas 10
at San Diego 24, Dallas 14
1962—at San Diego 32, Dallas 28
at Dallas 26, San Diego 17
1963—at San Diego 24, Kansas City 10
San Diego 38, at Kansas City 17
1964—San Diego 28, at Kansas City 14
Kansas City 49, at San Diego 6*
1965—at San Diego 10, Kansas City 10
at Kansas City 31, San Diego 7
1966—at Kansas City 24, San Diego 14
Kansas City 27, at San Diego 17
1967—at San Diego 45, Kansas City 31
San Diego 17, at Kansas City 16
1968—at Kansas City 27, San Diego 20
Kansas City 40, at San Diego 3

1969—Kansas City 27, at San Diego 9
 at Kansas City 27, San Diego 3
 1970—at Kansas City 26, San Diego 14
 at San Diego 31, Kansas City 13
 1971—at San Diego 21, Kansas City 14
 at Kansas City 31, San Diego 10
 1972—Kansas City 26, at San Diego 14
 San Diego 27, at Kansas City 17
 1973—Kansas City 19, at San Diego 0
 at Kansas City 33, San Diego 6
 1974—Kansas City 24, at San Diego 14
 San Diego 14, at Kansas City 7
 1975—Kansas City 12, at San Diego 10
 San Diego 28, at Kansas City 20
 1976—San Diego 30, at Kansas City 16
 Kansas City 23, at San Diego 20
 1977—San Diego 23, at Kansas City 7
 Kansas City 21, at San Diego 16
 1978—at S.D. 29, Kansas City 23, OT
 at Kansas City 23, San Diego 0
 1979—San Diego 20, at Kansas City 14
 at San Diego 28, Kansas City 7
 1980—San Diego 24, at Kansas City 7
 at San Diego 20, Kansas City 7
 1981—San Diego 42, at Kansas City 31
 at San Diego 22, Kansas City 20

Los Angeles 2, Chargers 1

1970—at Los Angeles 37, San Diego 10
 1975—Los Angeles 13, at S.D. 10, OT
 1979—San Diego 40, at Los Angeles 16

Chargers 7, Miami 4

1966—at San Diego 44, Miami 10
 1967—at San Diego 24, Miami 0
 at Miami 41, San Diego 24
 1968—at San Diego 34, Miami 28
 1969—San Diego 21, at Miami 14
 1972—at Miami 24, San Diego 10
 1974—Miami 28, at San Diego 21
 1977—San Diego 14, at Miami 13
 1978—Miami 28, at San Diego 21
 1980—San Diego 27, at Miami 24, OT
 1981—San Diego 41, at Miami 38, OT*
 *AFC Playoff

Chargers 2, Minnesota 2

1971—at San Diego 30, Minnesota 14
 1975—at Minnesota 28, San Diego 13
 1978—San Diego 13, at Minnesota 7
 1981—Minnesota 33, at San Diego 31

Chargers 12, New England 12, 2 Ties

1960—Boston 35, at Los Angeles 0
 Los Angeles 45, at Boston 16
 1961—San Diego 38, at Boston 27
 Boston 41, at San Diego 0
 1962—at Boston 24, San Diego 20
 Boston 20, at San Diego 14
 1963—at San Diego 17, Boston 13
 San Diego 7, at Boston 6
 at San Diego 51, Boston 10*
 1964—Boston 33, at San Diego 28
 San Diego 26, at Boston 17
 1965—San Diego 13, at Boston 13
 Boston 22, at San Diego 6
 1966—at San Diego 24, Boston 0
 at Boston 35, San Diego 17
 1967—at San Diego 28, Boston 14
 at San Diego 31, Boston 31
 1968—San Diego 27, at Boston 17
 1969—San Diego 13, at Boston 10
 at San Diego 28, Boston 18
 1970—San Diego 16, at Boston 14
 1973—at New England 30, San Diego 14
 1975—New England 33, at San Diego 19
 1977—New England 24, at San Diego 20
 1978—at New England 28, San Diego 23
 1979—at New England 27, San Diego 21
 *AFL Championship

Chargers 3, New Orleans 0

1973—at San Diego 17, New Orleans 14
 1977—San Diego 14, at New Orleans 0
 1979—San Diego 35, at New Orleans 0

New York Giants 2, Chargers 1

1971—at New York 35, San Diego 17
 1975—at New York 35, San Diego 24
 1980—at San Diego 44, New York 7

Chargers 14, New York Jets 5, 1 Tie

1960—Los Angeles 21, at New York 7
 at Los Angeles 50, New York 43
 1961—San Diego 25, at New York 10
 at San Diego 48, New York 13
 1962—at San Diego 40, New York 14
 at New York 23, San Diego 3
 1963—at San Diego 24, New York 20
 San Diego 53, at New York 7
 1964—San Diego 17, at New York 17
 at San Diego 38, New York 3
 1965—San Diego 34, at New York 9
 at San Diego 38, New York 7
 1966—at New York 17, San Diego 16
 at San Diego 42, New York 27
 1967—New York 42, at San Diego 31
 1968—New York 37, at San Diego 15
 1969—at San Diego 34, New York 27
 1971—at San Diego 49, New York 21
 1974—at New York 27, San Diego 14
 1975—at San Diego 24, New York 16

Oakland 26, Chargers 17, 2 Ties

1960—at Los Angeles 52, Oakland 27
 L.A. 41, at Oakland (S.F.) 17
 1961—at San Diego 44, Oakland 0
 San Diego 41, at Oakland (S.F.) 10
 1962—San Diego 42, at Oakland 33
 at San Diego 31, Oakland 21
 1963—Oakland 34, at San Diego 33
 at Oakland 41, San Diego 27
 1964—San Diego 31, at Oakland 17
 Oakland 21, at San Diego 20
 1965—San Diego 17, at Oakland 6
 at San Diego 24, Oakland 14
 1966—San Diego 29, at Oakland 20
 Oakland 41, at San Diego 19
 1967—at Oakland 51, San Diego 10
 Oakland 41, at San Diego 21
 1968—San Diego 23, at Oakland 14
 Oakland 34, at San Diego 27
 1969—Oakland 14, at San Diego 12
 at Oakland 21, San Diego 16
 1970—at San Diego 27, Oakland 27
 at Oakland 20, San Diego 17
 1971—Oakland 34, at San Diego 0
 at Oakland 34, San Diego 33
 1972—San Diego 17, at Oakland 17
 Oakland 21, at San Diego 19
 1973—Oakland 27, at San Diego 17
 at Oakland 31, San Diego 3
 1974—Oakland 14, at San Diego 10
 at Oakland 17, San Diego 10
 1975—Oakland 6, at San Diego 0
 at Oakland 25, San Diego 0
 1976—Oakland 27, at San Diego 17
 at Oakland 24, San Diego 0
 1977—at Oakland 24, San Diego 0
 at San Diego 12, Oakland 7
 1978—Oakland 21, at San Diego 20
 San Diego 27, at Oakland 23
 1979—at San Diego 30, Oakland 10
 at Oakland 45, San Diego 22
 1980—at San Diego 30, Oakland 24, OT
 at Oakland 38, San Diego 24
 Oakland 34, at San Diego 27*
 1981—San Diego 55, at Oakland 21
 at San Diego 23, Oakland 10
 *AFC Championship

Chargers 1, Philadelphia 1

1974—Philadelphia 13, at San Diego 7
 1980—at San Diego 22, Philadelphia 21

Pittsburgh 6, Chargers 2

1971—at Pittsburgh 21, San Diego 17
 1972—Pittsburgh 24, at San Diego 2
 1973—at Pittsburgh 38, San Diego 21
 1975—Pittsburgh 37, at San Diego 0
 1976—at Pittsburgh 23, San Diego 0
 1977—Pittsburgh 10, at San Diego 9
 1979—at San Diego 35, Pittsburgh 7
 1980—at San Diego 26, Pittsburgh 17

Chargers 2, St. Louis 0

1971—at San Diego 20, St. Louis 17
 1976—at San Diego 43, St. Louis 24

Chargers 2, San Francisco 1

1972—at San Francisco 34, San Diego 3
 1978—at S. D. 13, San Francisco 7, OT
 1979—at San Diego 31, San Francisco 9

Chargers 8, Seattle 1

1977—San Diego 30, at Seattle 28
1978—San Diego 24, at Seattle 20
at San Diego 37, Seattle 10
1979—San Diego 33, at Seattle 16
at San Diego 20, Seattle 10
1980—San Diego 34, Seattle 13
at San Diego 21, Seattle 14
1981—at San Diego 24, Seattle 10
at Seattle 44, San Diego 23

Chargers 2, Tampa Bay 0

1976—San Diego 23, at Tampa Bay 0
1981—San Diego 24, at Tampa Bay 23

Washington 2, Chargers 0

1973—at Washington 38, San Diego 0
1980—at Washington 40, San Diego 17



Tight ends Winslow and Sievers form Chargers' versatile two-tight end offense.

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Leaders by Years



MIKE GARRETT
1971-72



PAT CURRAN
1975



DICK HARRIS
1960, '63

Rushing

Year	Player	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1960	Paul Lowe	136	855	6.3	8	69
1961	Paul Lowe	175	767	4.0	9	87t
1962	Keith Lincoln	117	547	4.7	2	86t
1963	Paul Lowe	177	1010	5.7	8	66t
1964	Keith Lincoln	155	632	4.1	4	25
1965	Paul Lowe	222	1121	5.1	7	59
1966	Paul Lowe	146	643	4.4	3	57
1967	Dick Post	161	663	4.1	7	67t
1968	Dick Post	151	758	5.0	3	62t
1969	Dick Post	182	873	4.8	6	60
1970	Jeff Queen	77	261	3.4	1	19
1971	Mike Garrett	140	591	4.2	4	36
1972	Mike Garrett	272	1031	3.8	6	41t
1973	Cid Edwards	133	609	4.6	1	50
1974	Don Woods	227	1162	5.1	7	56t
1975	Rickey Young	138	577	4.2	5	48t
1976	Rickey Young	162	802	5.0	4	46t
1977	Rickey Young	157	543	3.5	4	15
1978	Lydell Mitchell	214	820	3.8	3	25
1979	Clarence Williams	200	752	3.8	12	55t
1980	Chuck Muncie	135	659	4.9	4	53
1981	Chuck Muncie	251	1144	4.6	19	73t

Passing

Year	Player	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Long	Pass Rating
1960	Jack Kemp	406	211	.520	3018	20	69t	64.2
1961	Jack Kemp	364	165	.453	2686	15	91t	57.6
1962	John Hadl	260	107	.412	1632	15	72t	43.6
1963	Tobin Role	286	170	.594	2510	20	85t	86.9
1964	John Hadl	274	147	.536	2161	18	76t	69.6
1965	John Hadl	348	174	.501	2798	20	85t	71.4
1966	John Hadl	375	200	.533	2846	23	78t	83.0
1967	John Hadl	427	217	.508	3365	24	72t	74.7
1968	John Hadl	440	208	.473	3473	27	84	64.7
1969	John Hadl	324	158	.488	2253	10	76t	68.0
1970	John Hadl	327	162	.495	2388	22	67	77.3
1971	John Hadl	431	233	.541	3075	21	77t	68.7
1972	John Hadl	370	190	.514	2449	15	61	56.6
1973	Dan Fouts	194	87	.448	1126	6	69t	45.7
1974	Dan Fouts	237	115	.485	1732	8	75t	61.4
1975	Dan Fouts	195	106	.544	1396	2	57	56.3
1976	Dan Fouts	359	208	.579	2535	14	81t	75.3
1977	James Harris	211	109	.517	1240	5	78	56.0
1978	Dan Fouts	381	224	.588	2999	24	55t	83.2
1979	Dan Fouts	530	332	.626	4082	24	65t	82.6
1980	Dan Fouts	589	348	.591	4715	30	65	84.6
1981	Dan Fouts	609	360	.591	4802	33	67t	90.6

Receiving

Year	Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1960	Ralph Anderson	44	614	14.0	5	46t
1961	Dave Kocourek	55	1055	19.2	4	76t
1962	Don Norton	48	771	16.1	7	47
1963	Lance Alworth	61	1206	19.8	11	85t
1964	Lance Alworth	61	1235	20.2	13	82t
1965	Lance Alworth	69	1602	23.2	14	85t
1966	Lance Alworth	73	1383	18.9	13	78t
1967	Willie Frazier	57	922	16.2	10	72
1968	Lance Alworth	68	1312	19.3	10	80
1969	Lance Alworth	64	1003	15.7	4	76t
1970	Gary Garrison	44	1006	22.9	12	67
1971	Gary Garrison	42	889	21.2	6	77t
1972	Gary Garrison	52	744	14.3	7	52t

1973	Jerry LeVias	30	536	17.9	3	691
1974	Gary Garrison	41	785	19.1	5	711
1975	Pat Curran	45	619	13.8	0	39
1976	Charlie Joiner	50	1056	21.1	7	811
1977	Rickey Young(rb)	48	423	8.8	0	28
1978	Lydell Mitchell(rb)	57	500	8.8	2	551
1979	Charlie Joiner	72	1008	14.0	4	39
1980	Kellen Winslow	89	1290	14.5	9	65
1981	Kellen Winslow	88	1075	12.2	10	671

Punting

Year	Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Long	TB	In
1960	Paul Maguire	43	1743	40.5	61	1	12
1961	Paul Maguire	62	2615	42.2	82	4	15
1962	Paul Maguire	79	3289	41.6	66	4	19
1963	Paul Maguire	58	2242	38.7	60	6	6
1964	John Hadl	62	2450	39.5	71	5	9
1965	John Hadl	38	1544	40.6	65	2	12
1966	Rick Redman	60	2442	37.0	55	4	11
1967	Rick Redman	58	2147	37.0	56	3	9
1968	Dennis Pardee	56	2281	40.7	60	7	10
1969	Dennis Pardee	71	3169	44.6	62	6	24
1970	Dennis Pardee	65	2852	43.9	62	4	16
1971	Dennis Pardee	55	2392	43.5	73	6	14
1972	Dennis Pardee	45	1813	40.3	65	5	5
1973	Dennis Pardee	72	2958	41.1	62	6	21
1974	Dennis Pardee	76	3042	40.0	65	7	13
1975	Dennis Pardee	78	2910	37.3	56	5	15
1976	Jeff West	38	1548	40.7	57	5	9
1977	Jeff West	72	2707	37.6	59	3	10
1978	Jeff West	73	2720	37.3	59	9	21
1979	Jeff West	75	2736	36.5	62	9	22
1980	Rick Partridge	80	2347	39.1	55	3	10
1981	George Roberts	62	2540	41.0	61	7	16

Punt Returns

Year	Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1960	Bob Garner	6	95	15.8	0	36
1961	Keith Lincoln	7	150	21.4	1	571
1962	Keith Lincoln	11	94	8.5	0	17
1963	Lance Alworth	11	120	10.9	0	61
1964	Lance Alworth	17	215	12.6	0	43
1965	Leslie Duncan	30	464	15.5	2	661
1966	Leslie Duncan	18	238	13.2	1	811
1967	Leslie Duncan	36	434	12.1	0	50
1968	Leslie Duncan	18	206	11.4	1	951
1969	Leslie Duncan	27	280	10.4	0	38
1970	Chris Fletcher	16	137	8.6	0	17
1971	Jerry LeVias	22	145	6.6	0	19
1972	Len Dunlap	19	179	9.4	0	21
1973	Ron Smith	27	352	13.0	2	841
1974	Danny Colbert	15	128	8.5	0	28
1975	Mike Fuller	36	410	11.4	1	52
1976	Mike Fuller	33	436	13.2	0	43
1977	Mike Fuller	28	360	12.9	1	881
1978	Mike Fuller	39	436	11.2	0	34
1979	Mike Fuller	46	448	9.7	0	27
1980	Mike Fuller	30	298	9.9	0	31
1981	James Brooks	22	290	13.2	0	42

Kickoff Returns

Year	Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1960	Fred Ford	13	294	22.6	0	37
1961	Paul Lowe	10	240	24.0	0	35
1962	Keith Lincoln	14	398	28.4	1	1031
1963	Keith Lincoln	17	439	25.8	0	44
1964	Leslie Duncan	11	378	34.4	0	91
1965	Leslie Duncan	26	612	23.5	0	46
1966	Leslie Duncan	25	642	25.7	0	50
1967	Dick Post	15	371	24.7	0	50
1968	Leslie Duncan	25	586	23.4	0	53
1969	Leslie Duncan	21	587	27.9	0	52
1970	Chris Fletcher	17	382	22.6	0	30
1971	Jerry LeVias	24	559	23.3	0	71
1972	Jesse Taylor	31	676	21.8	0	41
1973	Ron Smith	36	947	26.3	0	70
1974	Dick Gordon	14	354	25.3	0	39
1975	Mike Fuller	31	725	23.4	0	34
1976	Artie Owens	25	551	22.0	0	40
1977	Clarence Williams	24	481	20.0	0	32
1978	Artie Owens	20	524	26.2	0	77
1979	Artie Owens	35	791	22.6	0	40
1980	Chuck Muncie	16	344	21.5	0	43
1981	James Brooks	40	949	23.7	0	47

Interceptions

Year	Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
1960	Dick Harris	5	56	11.2	1	42t
1961	Charles McNeil	9	349	38.8	2	76t
1962	Claude Gibson	8	85	10.6	1	37t
1963	Dick Harris	8	83	10.4	1	22
1964	Dick Westmoreland	6	51	8.5	0	38
1965	Bud Whitehead	7	127	18.1	1	35t
1966	Leslie Duncan	7	67	9.6	0	31
1967	Joe Beauchamp	3	44	14.7	0	28
1968	Joe Beauchamp	5	114	22.8	2	35t
1969	Jim Hill	7	92	13.1	0	27
1970	Pete Barnes	3	22	7.3	0	15
1971	Bryant Salter	6	48	8.0	0	44
1972	Bryant Salter	7	111	15.9	0	31
1973	Bob Howard	5	25	5.0	0	25
1974	Chris Fletcher	4	74	18.5	0	31
1975	Chris Fletcher	6	100	16.7	0	45
1976	Don Goode	6	82	13.7	0	27
1977	Mike Fuller	5	61	12.2	0	37
1978	Mike Fuller	4	44	11.0	1	23
1979	Woodrow Lowe	5	150	30.0	2	77t
1980	Glen Edwards	5	122	24.4	1	68t
1981	Willie Buchanon	5	31	6.2	0	18

Scoring (Kicking)

Year	Player	PAT/A	FG/A	Long	Pts
1960	Ben Agajanian	46/47	13/24	46	85
1961	George Blair	42/47	13/27	44	81
1962	George Blair	31/35	17/20	43	82
1963	George Blair	44/48	17/27	42	95
1964	Keith Lincoln	16/17	5/11	47	31
1965	Herb Travenio	40/40	18/30	40	94
1966	Dick Van Raaphorst	39/40	16/31	43	87
1967	Dick Van Raaphorst	45/45	15/30	42	90
1968	Dennis Partee	40/43	22/32	48	106
1969	Dennis Partee	33/33	15/28	50	78
1970	Mike Mercer	34/35	12/19	42	70
1971	Dennis Partee	36/37	17/29	50	87
1972	Dennis Partee	26/28	15/25	51	71
1973	Ray Wersching	13/16	11/25	39	46
1974	Dennis Partee	26/28	1/5	22	29
1975	Ray Wersching	20/21	12/24	45	56
1976	Toni Fritsch	11/14	6/12	48	40
1977	Rolf Benirschke	21/25	17/23	47	72
1978	Rolf Benirschke	37/43	18/22	44	91
1979	Mike Wood	28/31	11/14	61	42
1980	Rolf Benirschke	46/49	24/36	53	118
1981	Rolf Benirschke	55/61	19/26	52	112

Scoring (Touchdowns)

Year	Player	TD	Rush	Rec.	Pts
1960	Paul Lowe	10	8	2	60
1961	Paul Lowe	9	9	0	54
1962	Bob Jackson	7	5	2	42
1963	Lance Alworth	11	0	11	66
1964	Lance Alworth	15	2	13	90
1965	Lance Alworth	14	0	14	84
1966	Lance Alworth	13	0	13	78
1967	Willie Frazier	10	0	10	60
1968	Lance Alworth	10	0	10	*62
1969	Gary Garrison	7	0	7	42
1970	Gary Garrison	12	0	12	72
1971	Jeff Queen	7	4	3	42
	Mike Garrett	7	4	3	42
1972	Mike Garrett	7	6	1	42
1973	Bob Holmes	7	7	0	42
1974	Don Woods	10	7	3	60
1975	Rickey Young	6	5	1	36
1976	Charlie Joiner	7	0	7	42
1977	Charlie Joiner	6	0	6	36
1978	John Jefferson	13	0	13	78
1979	Clarence Williams	12	12	0	72
1980	John Jefferson	13	0	13	78
1981	Chuck Muncie	19	19	0	114

*Includes 2-point conversion.

Chargers Big Days



DAN FOUTS



CHUCK MUNCIE



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300 Yards Passing

1. 444—Dan Fouts, vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980 (26x41, 3TD)
2. 433—Fouts, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (33x53, 3TD), OT**
3. 388—Fouts, at Oakland, Oct. 12, 1980 (23x39, 1TD)
4. 387—Fouts, vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980 (29x44, 3TD), OT
5. 371—Fouts, at Dallas, Oct. 26, 1980 (21x44, 3TD)
6. 369—Tobin Rote, at N.Y. Jets, Nov. 2, 1963 (21x29, 3TD)
Fouts, at Houston, Dec. 17, 1978 (21x40, 4TD)
8. 363—Fouts, vs. Denver, Nov. 9, 1980 (29x45, 1TD)
9. 359—John Hadl, vs. Oakland, Dec. 15, 1968 (21x52, 1TD)
10. 358—Hadl, vs. N.Y. Jets, Oct. 31, 1971 (19x27, 4TD)
11. 357—Jack Kemp, vs. Dallas Texans, Nov. 19, 1961 (15x27, 2TD)
12. 352—Fouts, vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981 (20x40, 2TD)
13. 351—Fouts, at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981 (33x49, 1TD)
14. 350—Fouts, vs. Kansas City, Nov. 25, 1979 (27x43, 3TD)
15. 345—Hadl, at Denver, Oct. 22, 1967 (15x34, 3TD)
16. 343—Fouts, vs. Buffalo, Dec. 1981 (28x42, 2TD)
17. 342—Fouts, vs. Philadelphia, Nov. 30, 1980 (20x28, 2TD)
18. 341—Hadl, at Houston, Dec. 4, 1966 (20x35, 4TD)
19. 339—Fouts, vs. Seattle, Dec. 13, 1980 (28x42, 1TD)
20. 338—Fouts, vs. Atlanta, Dec. 2, 1979 (28x38, 1TD)
21. 337—Kemp, at Houston, Sept. 18, 1960 (27x44, 4TD)
22. 336—Fouts, vs. Oakland, Jan. 11, 1981 (22x45, 2TD)*
23. 333—Fouts, vs. Cleveland, Nov. 3, 1974 (12x21, 4 TD)
Fouts, vs. Houston, Dec. 29, 1979 (25x47)**
25. 332—Hadl, vs. Denver, Dec. 12, 1971 (21x36, 4TD)
26. 331—Hadl, at N.Y. Jets, Oct. 8, 1966 (22x41, 1TD)
27. 330—Fouts, at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981 (19x25, 3TD)
28. 329—Fouts, vs. New England, Nov. 9, 1975 (25x42, 1TD)
29. 326—Hadl, at N.J. Jets, Oct. 5, 1968 (17x37, 3 TD)
Fouts, at Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979 (17x32, 2TD)
31. 325—Hadl, vs. Cincinnati, Sept. 6, 1968 (20x37, 2TD)
Hadl, at Denver, Dec. 1, 1968 (21x35, 5TD)
33. 321—Hadl, vs. Denver, Oct. 20, 1968 (9x18, 4TD)
Hadl, at Oakland, Nov. 21, 1971 (20x36, 2TD)
35. 318—Hadl, at Oakland, Oct. 29, 1967 (19x39, 1TD)
Fouts, vs. Seattle, Oct. 14, 1979 (28x35, 3TD)
37. 316—Fouts, vs. Detroit, Sept. 13, 1981 (18x25, 1TD)
38. 315—Kemp, at Boston, Oct. 7, 1961 (12x24, 3TD)
Hadl, vs. Oakland, Dec. 3, 1967 (18x40, 2TD)
40. 314—Hadl, at Buffalo, Oct. 10, 1965 (18x29, 3TD)
Fouts, vs. Buffalo, Jan. 3, 1981 (22x37, 2TD)**
42. 313—Fouts, vs. Miami, Oct. 15, 1978 (22x30, 1TD)
43. 312—Hadl, vs. Buffalo, Nov. 25, 1965 (18x37)
44. 310—Fouts, vs. Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981 (20x38, 2 TD)
45. 308—Fouts, vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980 (21x37)
46. 307—Kemp, vs. Oakland, Nov. 27, 1960 (13x24, 2TD)
Hadl, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 15, 1967 (17x32, 2TD)
48. 305—Fouts, at Denver, Oct. 7, 1979 (27x45)
49. 303—Fouts, at Oakland, Oct. 25, 1979 (21x37, 2TD)
50. 302—Kemp, at N.Y. Titans, Oct. 15, 1961 (15x38)
Fouts, vs. Seattle, Oct. 4, 1981 (30x40, 3TD)

100 Yards Rushing

1. 206—Keith Lincoln, vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964 (13 att., 1TD)
2. 189—Brad Hubbert, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 24, 1967 (15 att., 2TD)
3. 183—Paul Lowe, vs. Denver, Dec. 22, 1963 (17 att., 2TD)
4. 166—Keith Lincoln, at Oakland, Sept. 30, 1962 (12 att., 1TD)
5. 165—Lowe, at Houston, Jan. 1, 1961 (21 att., 1TD)
6. 161—Lowe, vs. N.Y. Jets, Oct. 13, 1963 (16 att., 1TD)
Chuck Muncie, at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981 (24 att., 1 TD)

8. 158—Lowe, vs. Houston, Oct. 3, 1965 (20 att.)
Don Woods, vs. Miami, Sept. 29, 1974 (18 att., 2TD)
Clarence Williams, vs. Buffalo, Sept. 16, 1979 (18 att., 4TD)
11. 154—Woods, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 27, 1974 (22 att., 1TD)
12. 151—Dick Post, vs. Miami, Nov. 3, 1968 (21 att.)
13. 151—Muncie, at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981 (20 att., 2TD)
14. 149—Lowe, vs. Oakland, Nov. 27, 1960 (26 att., 1TD)
15. 147—Post, at Cincinnati, Sept. 21, 1969 (15 att.)
16. 145—Mike Garrett, vs. Oakland, Dec. 3, 1972 (28 att.)
17. 144—Lydell Mitchell, vs. Kansas City, Nov. 12, 1978 (29 att.), OT
18. 142—Woods, at N.Y. Jets, Dec. 1, 1974 (25 att., 1TD)
19. 140—Post, vs. Cincinnati, Sept. 6, 1968 (16 att., 1TD)
20. 137—Lowe, at Boston, Oct. 28, 1960 (8 att., 2TD)
21. 133—Woods, vs. Philadelphia, Oct. 6, 1974 (21 att.)
22. 132—Garrett, at Baltimore, Oct. 8, 1972 (27 att., 2TD)
23. 130—Lincoln, vs. Oakland, Oct. 27, 1963 (15 att.)
Garrett, at Cleveland, Oct. 28, 1973 (19 att.)
25. 128—Post, vs. Denver, Nov. 23, 1969 (17 att., 3TD)
Lowe, at Buffalo, Sept. 30, 1961 (22 att., 1TD)
Gerry McDougall, vs. Oakland, Dec. 2, 1962 (22 att., 2TD)
28. 127—Lincoln, at Kansas City, Oct. 20, 1963 (10 att., 1TD)
29. 126—Lowe, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 11, 1966 (14 att., 2TD)
30. 125—Lowe, vs. Oakland, Nov. 13, 1966 (10 att.)
31. 124—Rickey Young, at Kansas City, Dec. 7, 1975 (25 att., 2TD)
32. 123—Post, vs. Cincinnati, Oct. 4, 1969 (19 att.)
33. 122—Lowe, vs. Denver, Sept. 11, 1965 (18 att., 1TD)
34. 121—Post, vs. Denver, Oct. 20, 1968 (11 att., 1TD)
Post, at Buffalo, Oct. 1, 1967 (20 att., 1TD)
36. 120—Muncie, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (24 att., 1TD) OT**
37. 119—Muncie, vs. Buffalo, Dec. 6, 1981 (22 att., 1TD)
38. 118—Woods, vs. Oakland, Oct. 13, 1974 (17 att., 1TD)
39. 117—Woods, at Oakland, Nov. 17, 1974 (27 att., 1TD)
40. 116—Post, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 15, 1967 (15 att., 1TD)
41. 115—Muncie, vs. Denver, Nov. 9, 1980 (23 att.)
Muncie, vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980 (26 att., 1TD)
43. 113—Post, at Oakland, Nov. 16, 1969 (20 att.)
44. 112—Lowe, at Denver, Nov. 7, 1965 (17 att.)
John Cappelletti, at Seattle, Sept. 7, 1980 (16 att.)
46. 111—Young, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 15, 1975 (21 att., 1TD)
47. 110—Lowe, vs. N.Y. Titans, Nov. 5, 1961 (9 att., 1TD)
Lowe, at N.Y. Titans, Oct. 23, 1965 (16 att., 2TD)
49. 109—Mike Thomas, vs. Kansas City, Nov. 16, 1980 (27 att., 2TD)
50. 108—Post, at Kansas City, Nov. 19, 1967 (18 att., 1TD)
51. 106—Lowe, at Oakland (S.F.), Oct. 22, 1961 (11 att., 2TD)
Russ Smith, at Denver, Dec. 1, 1968 (18 att., 1TD)
Lowe, vs. Denver, Dec. 10, 1960 (19 att., 1TD)
Post, vs. Buffalo, Dec. 14, 1969 (19 att., 2TD)
55. 105—Woods, vs. Denver, Dec. 15, 1974 (24 att., 1TD)
Woods, vs. L.A., Oct. 12, 1975 (24 att., 1TD) OT
57. 104—Gene Foster, at Oakland, Sept. 19, 1965 (21 att.)
Garrett, vs. Denver, Sept. 24, 1972 (21 att., 1TD)
Foster, at Oakland, Oct. 13, 1968 (27 att., 1TD)
60. 102—Lincoln, vs. Houston, Dec. 1, 1963 (13 att., 1TD)
Jacques MacKinnon, vs. Buffalo, Nov. 11, 1962 (17 att.)
Garrett, vs. Houston, Nov. 26, 1972 (17 att.)
Muncie, vs. Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981 (21 att., 2TD)
64. 101—Lincoln, at Buffalo, Nov. 17, 1963 (10 att., 1TD)
Mitchell, vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 5, 1978 (28 att.)
66. 100—Lowe, at Dallas Texans, Sept. 10, 1961 (13 att., 1TD)
Cid Edwards, at Houston, Sept. 15, 1974 (16 att.)
Lincoln, at Denver, Nov. 8, 1964 (20 att., 1TD)

150 Yards Receiving

1. 232—Lance Alworth, at Kansas City, Oct. 20, 1963 (9 rec., 2TD)
2. 213—Alworth, at Oakland, Oct. 29, 1967 (10 rec., 1TD)
3. 211—Alworth, vs. Denver, Sept. 11, 1965 (7 rec., 1TD)
4. 210—Alworth, at Boston, Nov. 10, 1963 (13 rec., 1TD)
5. 203—Alworth, vs. Oakland, Nov. 1, 1964 (8 rec., 2TD)
6. 194—Wes Chandler, vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981 (10 rec., 2TD)
7. 191—Charlie Joiner, at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981 (6 rec.)
8. 188—Gary Garrison, vs. N.Y. Jets, Sept. 28, 1969 (10 rec., 2TD)
9. 185—Alworth, vs. Buffalo, Nov. 26, 1964 (4 rec., 2TD)
10. 183—Alworth, vs. Houston, Sept. 11, 1968 (8 rec., 1TD)
11. 182—Alworth, at Oakland, Oct. 13, 1968 (9 rec., 1TD)
12. 181—Alworth, at Kansas City, Nov. 14, 1965 (6 rec., 1TD)
13. 180—Alworth, at N.Y. Jets, Nov. 2, 1963 (5 rec., 1TD)
14. 177—Alworth, at Boston, Oct. 23, 1966 (6 rec., 2TD)
15. 175—Dave Kocourek, vs. Buffalo, Dec. 10, 1961 (3 rec., 1TD)
16. 172—Jacques MacKinnon, vs. Denver, Oct. 20, 1968 (6 rec., 2TD)
17. 171—Alworth, at Denver, Dec. 1, 1968 (9 rec., 4TD)
Joiner, vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980 (10 rec., 1TD)
Kellen Winslow, vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980 (10 rec.)

- 20. 169—Alworth, at Kansas City, Nov. 15, 1964 (5 rec., 1TD)
Alworth, at Kansas City, Oct. 27, 1968 (6 rec.)
Kocourek, vs. Dallas Texans, Nov. 19, 1961 (7 rec., 1TD)
- 23. 168—Alworth, at Buffalo, Oct. 10, 1965 (8 rec., 2TD)
Joiner, at Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979 (7 rec.)
- 25. 166—Joiner, vs. Detroit, Sept. 13, 1981 (7 rec.)
Winslow, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (13 rec., 1TD) OT**
- 26. 165—Garrison, at Chicago, Oct. 18, 1970 (8 rec., 2TD)
- 27. 164—John Jefferson, vs. Philadelphia, Nov. 30, 1980 (8 rec.)
- 28. 163—Garrison, at N.Y. Jets, Oct. 5, 1968 (6 rec., 2TD)
- 29. 162—Garrison, vs. N.Y. Jets, Oct. 31, 1971 (6 rec., 1TD)
- 30. 160—Kocourek, at Boston, Oct. 7, 1961 (3 rec., 1TD)
Alworth, vs. Oakland, Dec. 19, 1965 (5 rec., 1TD)
Jefferson, at Dallas, Oct. 26, 1980 (8 rec., 1TD)
- 33. 156—Alworth, vs. Kansas City, Dec. 18, 1966 (8 rec., 1TD)
Garrison, at Denver, Dec. 10, 1972 (10 rec., 1TD)
- 35. 155—Jefferson, vs. Chicago, Dec. 4, 1978 (7 rec., 1TD)
- 36. 153—Winslow, at Cincinnati, Nov. 2, 1980 (9 rec., 1TD)



Chris Collier

Wes Chandler had 194-yard game in 1981.

Chargers Longest Plays

*AFC Championship

Run from Scrimmage

1. 87t, Paul Lowe, at Dallas, Sept. 10, 1961
2. 86t, Keith Lincoln, at Oakland, Sept. 30, 1962
3. 80t, Brad Hubbert, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 24, 1967
4. 76t, Lincoln, at Kansas City, Oct. 20, 1963
5. 73t, Chuck Muncie, at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981
6. 70, Willie Frazier, vs. Green Bay, Oct. 12, 1970

Pass Completion

1. 91t, Jack Kemp to Keith Lincoln, at Denver, Nov. 12, 1961
2. 85t, Tobin Rote to Lance Alworth, at Denver, Oct. 6, 1963
John Hadl to Alworth, at Boston, Oct. 17, 1965
4. 84t, Hadl to Gary Garrison, at N.Y. Jets, Oct. 5, 1968
5. 82t, Rote to Alworth, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 6, 1964

Punt

1. 82, Paul Maguire, vs. Dallas, Nov. 19, 1961
2. 73, Dennis Partee, at Denver, Oct. 17, 1971
3. 66, Maguire, vs. N.Y. Titans, Sept. 16, 1962
4. 65, Partee, at San Francisco, Sept. 17, 1972
John Hadl, vs. Houston, Oct. 3, 1965
Partee, at Kansas City, Nov. 10, 1974

Interception Return

1. 100t, Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 15, 1967
2. 80t, Coy Bacon, at Denver, Nov. 11, 1973
3. 77t, Woodrow Lowe, vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979
4. 76t, Charlie McNeil, vs. Houston, Sept. 24, 1961
5. 72t, Duncan, at Oakland, Nov. 16, 1969

Kickoff Return

1. 103t, Keith Lincoln, vs. N.Y. Titans, Sept. 16, 1962
2. 91, Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 6, 1964
3. 77, Artie Owens, at Detroit, Oct. 22, 1978
4. *72, Duncan, at Buffalo, Dec. 26, 1964
5. 71, Jerry LeVias, at Houston, Dec. 19, 1971

Punt Return

1. 95t, Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 24, 1968
2. 88t, Mike Fuller, at New Orleans, Oct. 9, 1977
3. 84t, Ron Smith, vs. New Orleans, Nov. 18, 1973
4. 82t, Paul Lowe, at Boston, Oct. 7, 1961
5. 81t, Duncan, vs. Buffalo, Sept. 4, 1966

Fumble Return

1. 58t, Rick Redman, vs. Miami, Oct. 2, 1968
2. 49t, Rommie Loudd, at Oakland (S.F.), Dec. 4, 1960
3. 35t, Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 15, 1967
4. 30, Pete Barnes, vs. Houston, Oct. 25, 1970
5. 26, Hal Stringert, at Kansas City, Sept. 28, 1980

Blocked Punt Return

1. 35t, Bob Zeman, at Boston, Oct. 7, 1961
2. 19, Pete Lazetich, vs. Denver, Sept. 24, 1972
3. 5, Gene Selawski, at Oakland (S.F.), Oct. 22, 1961

Blocked Field Goal Return

1. 35, Tom Day, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 15, 1967
2. 28, Jim Tolbert, vs. St. Louis, Nov. 15, 1971
3. 27, Kenny Graham, at Kansas City, Nov. 15, 1964
4. 25, Jeff Staggs, vs. Houston, Oct. 25, 1970

Field Goal

1. 53, Rolf Benirschke, at Denver, Sept. 21, 1980
2. 52, Benirschke, vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980
Benirschke, at Denver, Sept. 27, 1981
4. 51, Dennis Partee, at Baltimore, Oct. 8, 1972
5. 50, Partee, vs. Kansas City, Sept. 14, 1969
Partee, at Houston, Dec. 19, 1971
Benirschke, vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980
Benirschke, at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981

All-Time Leaders



JOHN HADL



LANCE ALWORTH



LESLIE DUNCAN

RUSHING

Name	Years	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Paul Lowe	1960-67	1014-4963	4.9	39	871
Don Woods	1974-80	713-2858	4.0	16	561
Keith Lincoln	1960-66	573-2698	4.7	15	86
Dick Post	1967-70	568-2519	4.4	17	67
Mike Garrett	1970-73	572-2235	3.9	12	68
Rickey Young	1975-78	457-1972	4.2	13	481
Chuck Muncie	1980-81	386-1803	4.7	23	731
Gene Foster	1965-70	445-1613	3.6	4	37

PASSING

Name	Years	Att.-Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Int.	TD	Long	Rating
John Hadl	1962-72	3640-1824	26938	.501	211	201	851	68.8
Dan Fouts	1973-81	3203-1849	24256	.577	142	145	811	78.4
Jack Kemp	1960-62	815-389	5996	.477	37	49	911	73.8
Tobin Rote	1963-64	449-245	3648	.546	32	29	85	73.7
James Harris	1976-79	308-156	1796	.506	21	7	78	47.9
Jesse Freitas	1974-75	219-98	1244	.447	13	8	711	50.8
Marty Domres	1969-71	179-82	1209	.458	9	5	80	56.9

RECEIVING

Name	Years	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Lance Alworth	1962-70	493-9585	19.4	81	851
Gary Garrison	1966-76	404-7533	18.6	58	841
Charlie Joiner	1976-81	331-5533	16.7	29	811
Don Norton	1960-66	228-3472	15.2	27	69
Dave Kocourek	1960-65	218-3710	17.0	21	761
Kellen Winslow	1979-81	202-2620	13.0	21	671
John Jefferson	1978-80	199-3431	17.2	36	651
Willie Frazier	1966-70	137-2005	14.6	21	72

SCORING

Name	Years	Tot. TD	TD-R	TD-P	PAT	FG	Pts.
Lance Alworth	1962-70	83	2	81	1*	0	500
Rolf Benirschke	1977-81	0	0	0	171	82	417
Dennis Pardee	1968-75	0	0	0	167	71	380
Gary Garrison	1966-76	58	0	58	0	0	348
Paul Lowe	1960-67	46	39	7	0	0	276

*Includes two-point conversion

INTERCEPTIONS

Name	Years	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Dick Harris	1960-65	29-413	14.2	3	561
Kenny Graham	1964-69	25-477	19.1	5	681
Joe Beauchamp	1966-74	22-433	19.7	3	52
Mike Williams	1975-81	22-257	11.7	0	50
Leslie Duncan	1964-69	21-322	15.3	2	1001
Bob Howard	1967-74	21-193	9.2	0	29
Chuck Allen	1961-68	20-244	12.2	2	591

KICKOFF RETURNS

Name	Years	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Leslie Duncan	1964-70	134-3386	25.3	0	91
Artie Owens	1976-79	88-1998	22.7	0	77
Mike Fuller	1975-80	77-1658	21.5	0	47
Paul Lowe	1960-67	58-1294	22.3	0	54
James Brooks	1981	40-949	23.7	0	47
Keith Lincoln	1961-65	37-981	26.5	1	1031
Ron Smith	1973	36-947	26.3	0	70

PUNT RETURNS

Name	Years	No.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	Long
Mike Fuller	1975-80	212-2386	11.3	2	881
Leslie Duncan	1964-70	138-1651	12.0	4	951
Lance Alworth	1962-65	28-335	12.0	0	61
Dick Harris	1960-65	28-278	9.9	0	34

1982 National Football League Schedule

(All times local)

Sunday, September 12

(First Weekend)

Atlanta at New York Giants	1:00
Chicago at Detroit	1:00
Cleveland at Seattle	1:00
Houston at Cincinnati	1:00
Kansas City at Buffalo	1:00
Los Angeles vs. Green Bay at Milw.	12:00
Miami at New York Jets	4:00
New England at Baltimore	2:00
Oakland at San Francisco	1:00
St. Louis at New Orleans	12:00
San Diego at Denver	2:00
Tampa Bay at Minnesota	12:00
Washington at Philadelphia	1:00

Monday, September 13

Pittsburgh at Dallas	8:00
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Thursday, September 16

(Second Weekend)

Minnesota at Buffalo	8:30
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Sunday, September 19

Baltimore at Miami	4:00
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh	1:00
Dallas at St. Louis	12:00
Detroit at Los Angeles	1:00
New Orleans at Chicago	12:00
New York Jets at New England	1:00
Oakland at Atlanta	1:00
Philadelphia at Cleveland	1:00
San Diego at Kansas City	12:00
San Francisco at Denver	2:00
Seattle at Houston	3:00
Washington at Tampa Bay	4:00

Monday, September 20

Green Bay at New York Giants	9:00
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Thursday, September 23

(Third Weekend)

Atlanta at Kansas City	7:30
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Sunday, September 16

Buffalo at Houston	12:00
Chicago at San Francisco	1:00
Dallas at Minnesota	12:00
Denver at New Orleans	12:00
Los Angeles at Philadelphia	1:00
Miami at Green Bay	12:00
New York Giants at Pittsburgh	1:00
New York Jets at Baltimore	4:00
Oakland at San Diego	1:00
St. Louis at Washington	1:00
Seattle at New England	1:00
Tampa Bay at Detroit	1:00

Monday, September 27

Cincinnati at Cleveland	9:00
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Sunday, October 3

(Fourth Weekend)

Baltimore at Detroit	1:00
Cleveland at Washington	1:00
Houston at New York Jets	1:00
Kansas City at Seattle	1:00
Los Angeles at St. Louis	12:00
Miami at Cincinnati	1:00
Minnesota at Chicago	12:00
New England at Buffalo	1:00
New Orleans at Oakland	1:00
New York Giants at Dallas	3:00
Philadelphia vs. Green Bay at Milw.	12:00
Pittsburgh at Denver	2:00
San Diego at Atlanta	1:00

Monday, October 4

San Francisco at Tampa Bay	9:00
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Sunday, October 10

(Fifth Weekend)

Atlanta at Los Angeles	1:00
Buffalo at Baltimore	2:00
Cincinnati at New England	1:00
Cleveland at Oakland	1:00
Denver at New York Jets	4:00
Detroit at Miami	4:00
Green Bay at Chicago	12:00
Houston at Kansas City	12:00
Minnesota at Tampa Bay	1:00
St. Louis at New York Giants	1:00
San Francisco at New Orleans	12:00
Seattle at San Diego	1:00
Washington at Dallas	12:00

Monday, October 11

Philadelphia at Pittsburgh	9:00
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Sunday, October 17

(Sixth Weekend)

Atlanta at Detroit	1:00
Baltimore at Cleveland	1:00
Chicago at St. Louis	12:00
Cincinnati at New York Giants	1:00
Dallas at Philadelphia	4:00
Denver at Houston	12:00
Kansas City at San Diego	1:00
Los Angeles at San Francisco	1:00
New England at Miami	1:00
New Orleans at Minnesota	12:00
Oakland at Seattle	1:00
Pittsburgh at Washington	1:00
Tampa Bay at Green Bay	12:00

Monday, October 18

Buffalo at New York Jets	9:00
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Sunday, October 24

(Seventh Weekend)

Cleveland at Pittsburgh	1:00
Dallas at Cincinnati	9:00
Detroit at Buffalo	1:00
Green Bay at Minnesota	12:00
Miami at Baltimore	2:00
New Orleans at Los Angeles	1:00
New York Jets at Kansas City	12:00
Oakland at Denver	2:00
St. Louis at New England	1:00
San Diego at Seattle	1:00
San Francisco at Atlanta	1:00
Tampa Bay at Chicago	12:00
Washington at Houston	12:00

Monday, October 25

New York Giants at Philadelphia	9:00
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Sunday, October 31

(Eighth Weekend)

Atlanta at New Orleans	12:00
Buffalo at Denver	2:00
Chicago at Green Bay	12:00
Dallas at New York Giants	4:00
Houston at Cleveland	1:00
Los Angeles at San Diego	1:00
Miami at Oakland	1:00
New England at New York Jets	1:00
Philadelphia at St. Louis	12:00
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati	1:00
San Francisco at Washington	1:00
Seattle at Kansas City	12:00
Tampa Bay at Baltimore	2:00

Monday, November 1		Thursday, December 2	
Detroit at Minnesota	8:00	(Thirteenth Weekend)	
		San Francisco at Los Angeles	8:00
Sunday, November 7		Sunday, December 5	
(Ninth Weekend)			
Atlanta at Chicago	12:00	Atlanta at Denver	2:00
Baltimore at New England	1:00	Buffalo vs. Green Bay at Milw.	12:00
Denver at Seattle	1:00	Cincinnati at Baltimore	2:00
Detroit at Philadelphia	1:00	Dallas at Washington	4:00
Green Bay at Tampa Bay	1:00	Houston at New York Giants	1:00
Houston at Pittsburgh	1:00	Kansas City at Pittsburgh	1:00
Kansas City at Oakland	1:00	Minnesota at Miami	1:00
Los Angeles at New Orleans	12:00	New England at Chicago	12:00
Minnesota at San Francisco	1:00	St. Louis at Philadelphia	1:00
New York Giants at Cleveland	1:00	San Diego at Cleveland	1:00
New York Jets at Buffalo	4:00	Seattle at Oakland	1:00
St. Louis at Dallas	12:00	Tampa Bay at New Orleans	12:00
Washington at Cincinnati	1:00		
Monday, November 8		Monday, December 6	
San Diego at Miami	9:00	New York Jets at Detroit	9:00
Sunday, November 14		Saturday, December 11	
(Tenth Weekend)		(Fourteenth Weekend)	
Buffalo at New England	1:00	Philadelphia at New York Giants	12:30
Chicago at Tampa Bay	1:00	San Diego at San Francisco	1:00
Cincinnati at Houston	12:00	Sunday, December 12	
Cleveland at Miami	4:00		
Dallas at San Francisco	1:00	Baltimore at Minnesota	12:00
Denver at Kansas City	12:00	Chicago at Seattle	1:00
Green Bay at Detroit	1:00	Cleveland at Cincinnati	1:00
Minnesota at Washington	1:00	Denver at Los Angeles	1:00
New Orleans at San Diego	1:00	Detroit at Green Bay	12:00
New York Giants at Los Angeles	1:00	Miami at New England	1:00
New York Jets at Pittsburgh	1:00	New Orleans at Atlanta	4:00
Oakland at Baltimore	2:00	Oakland at Kansas City	3:00
Seattle at St. Louis	12:00	Pittsburgh at Buffalo	12:00
		Tampa Bay at New York Jets	1:00
		Washington at St. Louis	12:00
Monday, November 15		Monday, December 13	
Philadelphia at Atlanta	9:00	Dallas at Houston	8:00
Sunday, November 21		Saturday, December 18	
(Eleventh Weekend)		(Fifteenth Weekend)	
Baltimore at New York Jets	1:00	Los Angeles at Oakland	1:00
Cincinnati at Philadelphia	1:00	New York Jets at Miami	12:30
Detroit at Chicago	12:00	Sunday, December 19	
Kansas City at New Orleans	12:00		
Los Angeles at Atlanta	1:00	Atlanta at San Francisco	6:00
Miami at Buffalo	1:00	Buffalo at Tampa Bay	1:00
Minnesota vs. Green Bay at Milw.	12:00	Green Bay at Baltimore	2:00
New England at Cleveland	1:00	Houston at Philadelphia	1:00
Pittsburgh at Houston	12:00	Kansas City at Denver	2:00
San Francisco at St. Louis	3:00	Minnesota at Detroit	1:00
Seattle at Denver	2:00	New England at Seattle	1:00
Tampa Bay at Dallas	12:00	New Orleans at Dallas	3:00
Washington at New York Giants	4:00	New York Giants at Washington	1:00
		Pittsburgh at Cleveland	1:00
		St. Louis at Chicago	12:00
Monday, November 22		Monday, December 20	
San Diego at Oakland	6:00	Cincinnati at San Diego	6:00
Thursday, November 25 (Thanksgiving Day)		Sunday, December 26	
(Twelfth Weekend)		(Sixteenth Weekend)	
Cleveland at Dallas	3:00	Baltimore at San Diego	1:00
New York Giants at Detroit	12:00	Chicago at Los Angeles	1:00
Sunday, November 28		Cleveland at Houston	12:00
		Denver at Oakland	1:00
Baltimore at Buffalo	1:00	Detroit at Tampa Bay	1:00
Chicago at Minnesota	12:00	Green Bay at Atlanta	1:00
Denver at San Diego	1:00	New England at Pittsburgh	1:00
Green Bay at New York Jets	1:00	New York Giants at St. Louis	12:00
Houston at New England	1:00	New York Jets at Minnesota	12:00
Kansas City at Los Angeles	1:00	Philadelphia at Dallas	3:00
New Orleans at San Francisco	1:00	San Francisco at Kansas City	12:00
Oakland at Cincinnati	1:00	Seattle at Cincinnati	1:00
Philadelphia at Washington	1:00	Washington at New Orleans	12:00
Pittsburgh at Seattle	1:00		
St. Louis at Atlanta	1:00		
Monday, November 29		Monday, December 27	
Miami at Tampa Bay	9:00	Buffalo at Miami	9:00

The Last Time



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LEROY JONES

* AFC Playoff

** AFC Championship

Punt Return for Touchdown

By Chargers—Wes Chandler, 56 yards, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982. (OT)*

By Opponent—Rick Upchurch, 75 yards, Denver, Sept. 17, 1978.

Kickoff Return for Touchdown

By Chargers—Keith Lincoln, 103 yards, vs. N.Y. Titans, Sept. 16, 1962.

By Opponent—Ira Matthews, Oakland, 104 yards, Oct. 25, 1979.

Intercepted Pass Returned for Touchdown

By Chargers—Gary Johnson, 5 yards, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981

(Lateral from Leroy Jones; Bill Kenney passer).

By Opponent—Louis Breeden, 102 yards, Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981

(Dan Fouts pass).

Fumble Returned for Touchdown

By Chargers—Wilbur Young, 3 yards, at Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979

(Pat Haden fumble).

By Opponent—Todd Christensen, in end zone, at Oakland, Oct. 12, 1980

(Chuck Muncie fumble).

Shutout

By Chargers—San Diego 35, New Orleans 0, Dec. 9, 1979.

By Opponent—Denver 7, San Diego 0, Oct. 7, 1979.

Safety

By Chargers—Wilbur Young, vs. Atlanta, Dec. 2, 1979 (Steve Bartkowski tackled.)

By Opponent—San Diego punter, Jeff West, backed out of end zone, at Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979.

300 Yards Passing

By Chargers—Dan Fouts, 433 yards, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982. (OT)*

By Opponent—David Woodley, 20 yards, & Don Strock, 397 yards, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982. (OT)*

500 Yards Total Offense

By Chargers—564 yards, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982. (OT)*

By Opponent—526 yards, Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981.

3 Touchdown Receptions or More

By Chargers—Kellen Winslow (5), at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981.

By Opponent—Gene Washington (3), San Francisco, Sept. 17, 1972.

3 Interceptions or More

By Chargers—Pete Shaw (3), at Cincinnati, Nov. 2, 1980

(Ken Anderson (1) and Jack Thompson (2) passers).

By Opponent—Steve Foley (3), at Denver, Sept. 27, 1981 (Dan Fouts passer).

100 Yards Rushing

By Chargers—Chuck Muncie, 120 yards, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982

(24 attempts). (OT)*

By Opponent—Joe Delaney, 117 yards, Kansas City, Nov. 1, 1981.

(23 attempts)

3 Touchdowns

By Chargers—Chuck Muncie, vs. Denver, Nov. 29, 1981. (4 rush)

By Opponent—Booker Russell, Oakland, Oct. 25, 1979 (3 rush)

50 Points

By Chargers—San Diego 55, at Oakland 21, Nov. 22, 1981.

By Opponent—Oakland 51, San Diego 10, Oct. 29, 1967.

40 Points

By Chargers—San Diego 41, at Miami 38, Jan. 2, 1982. (OT)*

By Opponent—Seattle 44, San Diego 23, Nov. 16, 1981.

PAT Blocked

By Chargers—Sept. 30, 1979, vs. San Francisco (Gary Johnson blocked).

By Opponent—Nov. 22, 1981, at Oakland (Ted Hendricks blocked).

Field Goal Blocked

By Chargers—Leroy Jones (von Schamann kicker), Jan. 2, 1982, at Miami (OT)*; Kellen Winslow also blocked von Schamann attempt in game.

By Opponent—Gary Green (Rolf Benirschke kicker), Nov. 16, 1980, vs. Kansas City

Punt Blocked

By Chargers—Woodrow Lowe (Pat McNally punter), Nov. 2, 1980,

at Cincinnati

By Opponent—Lester Hayes (George Roberts punter), Dec. 21, 1981,

vs. Oakland.

All-Time Scores

†San Diego TV blackout lifted.

*Home game sellout.

1981

(10-6, First, AFC West)

Date	W-L	Score	Opponent	Tickets Issued	Attendance
Mon. Sept. 7	W	44-14	at Cleveland	80,122	78,904
Sun. Sept. 13	W	28-23	†Detroit	52,671*	51,624
Sun. Sept. 20	W	42-31	at Kansas City	65,540	63,866
Sun. Sept. 27	L	24-42	at Denver	75,123	74,844
Sun. Oct. 4	W	24-10	†Seattle	52,669*	51,463
Sun. Oct. 11	L	31-33	†Minnesota	52,553*	50,708
Sun. Oct. 18	W	43-14	at Baltimore	48,679	41,921
Sun. Oct. 25 (OT)	L	17-20	at Chicago	64,410	52,906
Sun. Nov. 1	W	22-20	†Kansas City	52,657*	51,307
Sun. Nov. 8	L	17-40	†Cincinnati	52,662*	51,259
Mon. Nov. 16	L	23-44	at Seattle	64,746	58,628
Sun. Nov. 22	W	55-21	at Oakland	54,568	50,199
Sun. Nov. 29	W	34-17	†Denver	52,670*	51,533
Sun. Dec. 6	L	27-28	†Buffalo	52,663*	51,488
Sun. Dec. 13	W	24-23	at Tampa Bay	72,128	67,388
Mon. Dec. 21	W	23-10	†Oakland	52,975*	52,279

AFC Divisional Playoff

Sat. Jan. 2 (OT)	W	41-38	at Miami	75,023	73,735
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AFC Championship

Sun. Jan. 10	L	7-27	at Cincinnati	59,497	46,302
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1980

(11-5, First, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 7	W	34-13	at Seattle	64,759	62,042
Sun. Sept. 14 (OT)	W	30-24	†Oakland	52,670*	51,943
Sun. Sept. 21	W	30-13	at Denver	75,103	74,970
Sun. Sept. 28	W	24-7	at Kansas City	49,557	45,161
Sun. Oct. 5	L	24-26	†Buffalo	52,648*	51,982
Sun. Oct. 12	L	24-38	at Oakland	48,009	44,826
Sun. Oct. 19	W	44-7	†New York Giants	52,656*	50,397
Sun. Oct. 26	L	31-42	at Dallas	65,020	60,639
Sun. Nov. 2	W	31-14	at Cincinnati	51,048	46,406
Sun. Nov. 9	L	13-20	†Denver	52,656*	51,435
Sun. Nov. 16	W	20-7	†Kansas City	52,653*	50,248
Thur. Nov. 20 (OT)	W	27-24	at Miami	67,277	63,013
Sun. Nov. 30	W	22-21	†Philadelphia	52,658*	51,760
Sun. Dec. 7	L	17-40	at Washington	55,045	48,556
Sat. Dec. 13	W	21-14	†Seattle	52,662*	49,980
Mon. Dec. 22	W	26-17	†Pittsburgh	52,669*	51,785

AFC Divisional Playoff

Sat. Jan. 3	W	20-14	†Buffalo	52,662*	52,028
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AFC Championship

Sun. Jan. 11	L	27-34	†Oakland	52,675*	52,428
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1979

(12-4, First, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 2	W	33-16	at Seattle	64,759	62,287
Sun. Sept. 9	W	30-10	†Oakland	52,413*	50,954
Sun. Sept. 16	W	27-19	Buffalo	52,413*	50,709
Sun. Sept. 23	L	21-27	at New England	61,297	60,916
Sun. Sept. 30	W	31-9	San Francisco	52,419*	50,893
Sun. Oct. 7	L	0-7	at Denver	75,103	74,997
Sun. Oct. 14	W	20-10	†Seattle	52,421*	50,077
Sun. Oct. 21	W	40-16	at Los Angeles	71,416	64,245
Thurs. Oct. 25	L	22-45	at Oakland	54,583	53,709
Sun. Nov. 4	W	20-14	at Kansas City	61,811	59,353
Sun. Nov. 11	W	26-24	at Cincinnati	50,307	40,782
Sun. Nov. 18	W	35-7	†Pittsburgh	52,426*	51,910
Sun. Nov. 25	W	28-7	†Kansas City	52,421*	50,078
Sun. Dec. 2	L	26-28	†Atlanta	52,438*	50,198
Sun. Dec. 9	W	35-0	at New Orleans	68,496	61,059
Mon. Dec. 17	W	17-7	†Denver	52,388*	51,906

AFC Divisional Playoff

Sat. Dec. 29	L	14-17	†Houston	52,574*	51,192
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1978

(9-7, Fourth, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 3	W	24-20	at Seattle	58,872	55,778
Sun. Sept. 10	L	20-21	†Oakland	52,469*	51,653
Sun. Sept. 17	L	14-27	at Denver	75,092	74,983
Sun. Sept. 24	L	3-24	Green Bay	45,771	42,755
Sun. Oct. 1	L	23-28	at New England	61,297	60,781
Sun. Oct. 8	W	23-0	†Denver	52,475*	50,077
Sun. Oct. 15	L	21-28	Miami	52,422*	50,637
Sun. Oct. 22	L	14-31	at Detroit	58,489	54,031
Sun. Oct. 29	W	27-23	at Oakland	54,599	52,612
Sun. Nov. 5	W	22-13	Cincinnati	45,461	43,639
Sun. Nov. 12 (OT)	W	29-23	Kansas City	43,873	41,395
Sun. Nov. 19	W	13-7	at Minnesota	48,398	38,859
Sun. Nov. 26	L	0-23	at Kansas City	36,161	26,248
Mon. Dec. 4	W	40-7	†Chicago	52,391*	48,492
Sun. Dec. 10	W	37-10	Seattle	52,171*	49,975
Sun. Dec. 17	W	45-24	at Houston	52,625	49,554

1977

(7-7, Third, AFC West)

Date	W-L	Score	Opponent	Tickets Issued	Attendance
Sun. Sept. 18	L	0-24	at Oakland	52,934	51,022
Sun. Sept. 25	W	23-7	at Kansas City	58,862	56,146
Sun. Oct. 2	W	24-3	Cincinnati	40,892	40,352
Sun. Oct. 9	W	14-0	at New Orleans	56,902	53,942
Sun. Oct. 16	L	20-24	New England	51,143	50,327
Sun. Oct. 23	L	16-21	Kansas City	33,943	33,010
Sun. Oct. 30	W	14-13	at Miami	48,781	40,670
Sun. Nov. 6	L	0-20	at Detroit	76,278	72,559
Sun. Nov. 13	L	14-17	Denver	46,571	45,211
Sun. Nov. 20	W	12-7	Oakland	52,127*	50,887
Sun. Nov. 27	W	30-28	at Seattle	58,994	55,338
Sun. Dec. 4	W	37-14	Cleveland	38,287	37,312
Sun. Dec. 11	L	9-17	at Denver	75,086	74,905
Sun. Dec. 18	L	9-10	Pittsburgh	51,992*	50,727

1976

(6-8, Third, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 12	W	30-16	at Kansas City	55,600	53,133
Sun. Sept. 19	W	23-0	at Tampa Bay	45,920	39,558
Sun. Sept. 26	W	43-24	St. Louis	40,872	40,212
Sun. Oct. 3	L	0-26	at Denver	63,532	63,369
Sun. Oct. 10	L	17-27	†Oakland	52,546	50,523
Sun. Oct. 17	W	30-27	Houston	33,327	31,565
Sun. Oct. 24	L	17-21	at Cleveland	62,969	60,018
Sun. Oct. 31	L	0-23	at Pittsburgh	—	45,484
Sun. Nov. 7	L	21-37	Baltimore	44,013	42,827
Sun. Nov. 14	L	0-17	Denver	33,531	32,017
Sun. Nov. 21	W	34-13	at Buffalo	46,863	41,701
Sun. Nov. 28	L	20-23	Kansas City	31,839	29,272
Sun. Dec. 5 (OT)	W	13-7	San Francisco	34,991	33,539
Sun. Dec. 12	L	0-24	Oakland	53,658	50,102

1975

(2-12, Fourth, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 21	L	0-37	Pittsburgh	37,987	37,194
Sun. Sept. 28	L	17-33	at Houston	37,127	33,765
Sun. Oct. 5	L	0-6	Oakland	34,147	33,097
Sun. Oct. 12 (OT)	L	10-13	Los Angeles	39,544	38,482
Sun. Oct. 19	L	10-12	Kansas City	28,569	26,657
Sun. Oct. 26	L	0-25	Oakland	53,791	42,796
Sat. Nov. 1	L	24-35	at N. Y. Giants	60,003	52,032
Sun. Nov. 9	L	19-33	New England	26,090	24,349
Sun. Nov. 16	L	17-27	Denver	29,296	26,048
Sun. Nov. 23	L	13-28	at Minnesota	43,737	43,737
Sun. Nov. 30 (OT)	L	10-13	at Denver	52,869	46,802
Sun. Dec. 7	W	28-20	at Kansas City	55,355	46,898
Mon. Dec. 15	W	24-16	N. Y. Jets	—	*52,446
Sun. Dec. 21	L	17-47	at Cincinnati	58,054	46,474

1974

(5-9, Fourth, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 15	L	14-21	at Houston	29,709	25,317
Sun. Sept. 22	W	20-17	at Cincinnati	55,998	51,187
Sun. Sept. 29	L	21-28	Miami	45,098	44,706
Sun. Oct. 6	L	7-13	Philadelphia	37,460	36,124
Sun. Oct. 13	L	10-14	Oakland	41,632	40,539
Sun. Oct. 20	L	7-27	at Denver	51,706	50,928
Sun. Oct. 27	L	14-24	Kansas City	36,084	34,371
Sun. Nov. 3	W	36-35	Cleveland	36,631	35,683
Sun. Nov. 10	W	14-7	at Kansas City	70,941	48,551
Sun. Nov. 17	L	10-17	at Oakland	53,880	50,178
Sun. Nov. 24	L	0-34	at Green Bay	—	56,267
Sun. Dec. 1	L	14-27	at N.Y. Jets	60,421	44,888
Mon. Dec. 8	W	28-21	Chicago	38,997	34,704
Sun. Dec. 15	W	17-0	Denver	38,939	36,571

1973

(2-11-1, Fourth, AFC West)

Date	W-L	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sun. Sept. 16	L	0-38	at Washington	52,718
Sun. Sept. 23	W	34-7	Buffalo	47,588
Sun. Sept. 30	L	13-20	Cincinnati	46,733
Sun. Oct. 7	L	21-38	at Pittsburgh	48,795
Sun. Oct. 14	L	17-27	at Oakland	50,672
Sun. Oct. 21	L	0-41	Atlanta	41,527
Sun. Oct. 28	T	16-16	at Cleveland	68,244
Sun. Nov. 4	L	0-19	Kansas City	50,234
Sun. Nov. 11	L	19-30	at Denver	51,034
Sun. Nov. 18	W	17-14	New Orleans	34,848
Sun. Nov. 25	L	3-31	Oakland	40,195
Sun. Dec. 2	L	14-30	at New England	58,150
Sun. Dec. 9	L	28-42	Denver	44,954
Sun. Dec. 16	L	6-33	at Kansas City	43,755

1972

(4-9-1, Fourth, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 17	L	3-34	at San Francisco	59,438
Sun. Sept. 24	W	37-14	Denver	49,048
Sun. Oct. 1	T	17-17	at Oakland	53,455
Sun. Oct. 8	W	23-20	at Baltimore	55,459
Sun. Oct. 15	L	10-24	at Miami	80,010
Sun. Oct. 22	L	20-34	at Detroit	54,371
Sun. Oct. 29	L	14-26	Kansas City	*54,533
Sun. Nov. 5	L	28-34	Dallas	*54,476
Mon. Nov. 13	L	17-21	Cleveland	*54,205
Sun. Nov. 19	W	27-17	at Kansas City	79,011
Sun. Nov. 26	W	34-20	Houston	46,289
Sun. Dec. 3	L	19-21	Oakland	*54,611
Sun. Dec. 10	L	13-28	at Denver	51,478
Sun. Dec. 17	L	2-24	Pittsburgh	52,873

1971

(6-8, Third, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 19	W	21-14	Kansas City	*54,061
Sun. Sept. 26	L	0-34	Oakland	*54,084
Sun. Oct. 3	L	17-21	at Pittsburgh	44,339
Sun. Oct. 10	L	10-31	at Kansas City	50,514
Sun. Oct. 17	L	16-20	at Denver	51,200
Sat. Oct. 23	W	20-3	Buffalo	49,261
Sun. Oct. 31	W	49-21	N.Y. Jets	44,786
Sun. Nov. 7	L	17-35	at N.Y. Giants	62,905
Mon. Nov. 15	W	20-17	St. Louis	46,486
Sun. Nov. 21	L	33-34	at Oakland	54,681
Sun. Nov. 28	L	0-31	at Cincinnati	59,580
Sun. Dec. 5	W	30-14	Minnesota	*54,505
Sun. Dec. 12	W	45-17	Denver	44,347
Sun. Dec. 19	L	33-49	at Houston	39,959

1970

(5-6-3, Third, AFC West)

Sun. Sept. 20	L	14-16	Baltimore	47,782
Sun. Sept. 27	T	27-27	Oakland	42,109
Sun. Oct. 4	L	10-37	at Los Angeles	69,564
Mon. Oct. 12	L	20-22	Green Bay	*53,064
Sun. Oct. 18	W	20-7	at Chicago	45,278
Sun. Oct. 25	T	31-31	Houston	41,427
Sun. Nov. 1	W	27-10	at Cleveland	80,047
Sun. Nov. 8	W	24-21	Denver	48,327
Sun. Nov. 15	W	16-14	at Boston	30,597
Sun. Nov. 22	L	17-20	at Oakland	54,594
Sun. Nov. 29	L	14-26	at Kansas City	50,135
Sun. Dec. 6	L	14-17	Cincinnati	41,461
Sun. Dec. 13	T	17-17	at Denver	50,959
Sun. Dec. 20	W	31-13	Kansas City	41,379

1969

(8-6, Third, AFL West)

Date	W-L	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sun. Sept. 14	L	9-27	Kansas City	47,988
Sun. Sept. 21	L	20-34	at Cincinnati	26,243
Sun. Sept. 28	W	34-27	N.Y. Jets	*54,042
Sat. Oct. 4	W	21-14	Cincinnati	52,748
Sat. Oct. 11	W	21-14	at Miami	34,585
Sun. Oct. 19	W	13-10	at Boston	18,346
Sun. Oct. 26	L	12-24	Oakland	*54,008
Sun. Nov. 2	L	0-13	at Denver	45,511
Sun. Nov. 9	L	3-27	at Kansas City	51,104
Sun. Nov. 16	L	16-21	at Oakland	54,372
Sun. Nov. 23	W	45-24	Denver	34,664
Thur. Nov. 27	W	21-17	at Houston	40,065
Sun. Dec. 7	W	26-18	Boston	33,146
Sun. Dec. 14	W	45-6	Buffalo	47,582

1968

(9-5, Third, AFL West)

Fri. Sept. 6	W	29-13	Cincinnati	33,686
Sat. Sept. 21	W	30-14	Houston	46,217
Sun. Sept. 29	W	31-10	at Cincinnati	28,642
Sat. Oct. 5	L	20-23	at N.Y. Jets	63,786
Sun. Oct. 13	W	23-14	at Oakland	53,257
Sun. Oct. 20	W	55-24	Denver	42,953
Sun. Oct. 27	L	20-27	at Kansas City	50,344
Sun. Nov. 3	W	34-28	Miami	37,284
Sun. Nov. 10	W	27-17	at Boston	19,278
Sun. Nov. 17	W	21-6	at Buffalo	27,993
Sun. Nov. 24	L	15-37	N.Y. Jets	51,175
Sun. Dec. 1	W	47-23	at Denver	35,312
Sun. Dec. 8	L	3-40	Kansas City	51,174
Sun. Dec. 15	L	27-34	Oakland	40,698

1967

(8-5-1, Third, AFL West)

Sat. Sept. 9	W	28-14	Boston	39,337
Sun. Sept. 24	W	13-3	Houston	36,032
Sun. Oct. 1	W	37-17	at Buffalo	39,310
Sun. Oct. 8	T	31-31	Boston**	23,620
Sun. Oct. 15	W	45-31	Kansas City	45,355
Sun. Oct. 22	W	38-21	at Denver	34,465
Sun. Oct. 29	L	10-51	at Oakland	53,474
Sun. Nov. 12	W	24-0	Miami	34,760
Sun. Nov. 19	W	17-16	at Kansas City	46,738
Thur. Nov. 23	W	24-20	Denver	34,586
Sun. Dec. 3	L	21-41	Oakland	*52,661
Sun. Dec. 10	L	24-41	at Miami	23,007
Sat. Dec. 16	L	17-24	at Houston	19,870
Sun. Dec. 24	L	31-42	N.Y. Jets	34,580

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1966

(7-6-1, Third, AFL West)

Sun. Sept. 4	W	27-7	Buffalo	27,572
Sat. Sept. 10	W	24-0	Boston	29,539
Sun. Sept. 25	W	29-20	at Oakland	37,183
Sun. Oct. 2	W	44-10	Miami	26,444
Sat. Oct. 8	L	16-17	at N.Y. Jets	63,497
Sun. Oct. 16	T	17-17	at Buffalo	45,169
Sun. Oct. 23	L	17-35	at Boston	32,371
Sun. Oct. 30	W	24-20	Denver	25,819
Sun. Nov. 6	L	14-24	at Kansas City	40,986
Sun. Nov. 13	L	19-41	Oakland	26,230
Sun. Nov. 27	L	17-20	at Denver	24,860
Sun. Dec. 4	W	28-22	at Houston	17,569
Sun. Dec. 11	W	42-27	N.Y. Jets	25,712
Sun. Dec. 18	L	17-27	Kansas City	28,348

1965

(9-2-3, First, AFL West)

Date	W-L	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sat. Sept. 11	W	34-31	Denver	27,022
Sun. Sept. 19	W	17-6	at Oakland	21,406
Sun. Sept. 26	T	10-10	Kansas City	28,126
Sun. Oct. 3	W	31-14	Houston	28,190
Sun. Oct. 10	W	34-3	at Buffalo	45,260
Sun. Oct. 17	T	13-13	at Boston	20,924
Sat. Oct. 23	W	34-9	at N.Y. Jets	60,679
Sun. Oct. 31	L	6-22	Boston	20,924
Sun. Nov. 7	W	35-21	at Denver	33,073
Sun. Nov. 14	L	7-31	at Kansas City	21,968
Thur. Nov. 25	T	20-20	Buffalo	27,473
Sat. Dec. 4	W	38-7	N.Y. Jets	32,169
Sun. Dec. 12	W	37-26	at Houston	24,120
Sun. Dec. 19	W	24-14	Oakland	26,056
AFL Championship				
Sun. Dec. 26	L	0-23	Buffalo	30,361

1964

(8-5-1, First, AFL West)

Sat. Sept. 12	W	27-21	Houston	20,611
Sun. Sept. 20	L	28-33	Boston	19,348
Sat. Sept. 26	L	3-30	at Buffalo	40,167
Sat. Oct. 3	T	17-17	at N.Y. Jets	47,746
Fri. Oct. 9	W	26-17	at Boston	35,096
Sun. Oct. 18	W	42-14	Denver	23,332
Sun. Oct. 25	W	20-17	at Houston	21,671
Sun. Nov. 1	W	31-17	Oakland	25,577
Sun. Nov. 8	W	31-20	at Denver	19,670
Sun. Nov. 15	W	28-14	at Kansas City	19,792
Thur. Nov. 26	L	24-27	Buffalo	34,865
Sun. Dec. 6	W	38-3	N.Y. Jets	22,569
Sun. Dec. 13	L	6-49	Kansas City	23,354
Sun. Dec. 20	L	20-21	at Oakland	20,124
AFL Championship				
Sun. Dec. 27	L	7-20	at Buffalo	40,242

1963

(11-3, First, AFL West)

Sun. Sept. 8	W	14-10	Buffalo	22,344
Sat. Sept. 14	W	17-13	Boston	26,097
Sun. Sept. 29	W	24-10	Kansas City	22,654
Sun. Oct. 6	L	34-50	at Denver	18,428
Sun. Oct. 13	W	24-20	N.Y. Jets	27,189
Sun. Oct. 20	W	38-17	at Kansas City	30,107
Sun. Oct. 27	L	33-34	Oakland	30,182
Sat. Nov. 2	W	53-7	at N.Y. Jets	18,336
Sun. Nov. 10	W	7-6	at Boston	28,402
Sun. Nov. 17	W	23-13	at Buffalo	38,592
Sun. Dec. 1	W	27-0	Houston	31,713
Sun. Dec. 8	L	27-41	at Oakland	20,249
Sun. Dec. 15	W	20-14	at Houston	18,540
Sun. Dec. 22	W	58-20	Denver	31,312
AFL Championship				
Sun. Jan. 5	W	51-10	Boston	30,127

1962

(4-10, Third, AFL West)

Fri. Sept. 7	L	21-30	at Denver	28,000
Sun. Sept. 16	W	40-14	N.Y. Titans	22,003
Sun. Sept. 23	L	17-42	Houston	28,061
Sun. Sept. 30	W	42-33	at Oakland	13,000
Sun. Oct. 7	W	32-28	Dallas	23,092
Sat. Oct. 13	L	10-35	at Buffalo	20,074
Fri. Oct. 19	L	20-24	at Boston	20,888
Sun. Oct. 28	L	3-23	at N.Y. Titans	21,467
Sun. Nov. 4	L	20-23	Denver	20,827
Sun. Nov. 11	L	20-40	Buffalo	22,204
Sun. Nov. 25	L	27-33	at Houston	28,235
Sun. Dec. 2	W	31-21	Oakland	17,834
Sun. Dec. 9	L	14-20	Boston	19,887
Sun. Dec. 16	L	17-26	at Dallas	18,384

1961

(12-2, First, AFL West)

Date	W-L	Score	Opponent	Attendance
Sun. Sept. 10	W	26-10	at Dallas	24,500
Sun. Sept. 17	W	44-0	Oakland	20,216
Sun. Sept. 24	W	34-24	Houston	29,210
Sat. Sept. 30	W	19-11	at Buffalo	20,732
Sat. Oct. 7	W	38-27	at Boston	17,748
Sun. Oct. 15	W	25-10	at N.Y. Titans	25,136
Sun. Oct. 22	W	41-10	Oakland at San Francisco	12,014
Sun. Oct. 29	W	37-0	Denver	32,584
Sun. Nov. 5	W	48-13	N.Y. Titans	33,391
Sun. Nov. 12	W	19-16	at Denver	7,859
Sun. Nov. 19	W	24-14	Dallas	33,788
Sun. Dec. 3	L	13-33	at Houston	37,845
Sat. Dec. 9	W	28-10	Buffalo	24,486
Sun. Dec. 17	L	0-41	Boston	21,339
AFL Championship				
Sun. Dec. 24	L	3-10	Houston	29,556

1960

(10-4, First, AFL West)

Sat. Sept. 10	W	21-20	Dallas	17,724
Sun. Sept. 18	L	28-38	at Houston	20,156
Sun. Sept. 25	L	0-17	at Dallas	42,000
Sun. Oct. 2	W	24-10	at Buffalo	15,821
Sat. Oct. 8	L	0-35	Boston	18,226
Sun. Oct. 16	W	23-19	at Denver	19,141
Fri. Oct. 28	W	45-16	at Boston	13,988
Fri. Nov. 4	W	21-7	at N.Y. Titans	19,402
Sun. Nov. 13	W	24-21	Houston	21,085
Sun. Nov. 20	L	3-32	Buffalo	16,161
Sun. Nov. 27	W	52-28	Oakland	15,075
Sun. Dec. 4	W	41-17	Oakland at San Francisco	12,061
Sat. Dec. 10	W	41-33	Denver	9,928
Sun. Dec. 18	W	50-43	N.Y. Titans	11,457
AFL Championship				
Sun. Jan. 1	L	16-24	at Houston	32,183



Chargers' defense closes the door.

Bill Romero

Preseason Scores

1981 (2-2)

St. Louis at S.D.	10-12
San Francisco at S.F.	31-28
Los Angeles at S.D.	33-29
Buffalo at S.D.	24-30

1980 (1-3-1)

Green Bay at Canton, O.	0-0*
Minnesota at Minn.	17-27
San Francisco at S.D.	14-17
Atlanta at S.D.	17-9
Los Angeles at L.A.	17-34

1979 (2-2)

San Francisco at S.F.	10-13
Minnesota at S.D.	19-0
N.Y. Giants at N.Y. Giants	7-3
Los Angeles at L.A.	7-23

1978 (2-2)

Seattle at Seattle	9-17
Los Angeles at L.A.	17-0
New York Jets at S.D.	10-23
N.Y. Giants at N.Y. Giants	17-6

1977 (4-2)

Dallas at Dallas	14-34
San Francisco at S.D.	32-13
N.Y. Giants at S.D.	29-17
Oakland at Oakland	7-35
Los Angeles at L.A.	26-25
Seattle at S.D.	38-20

1976 (3-3)

Philadelphia at S.D.	20-7
New England at Norman, OK	26-17
St. Louis at Tokyo, Japan	10-20
San Francisco at Honolulu	16-17
Seattle at Seattle	16-17
N.Y. Giants at S.D.	14-13

1975 (1-4-1)

Chicago at S.D.	0-22
N.Y. Giants at S.D.	7-17
San Francisco at S.D.	20-7
St. Louis at St. Louis	9-14
New England at N.E.	24-31
Minnesota at S.D.	14-14, OT

1974 (2-4)

San Francisco at S.D.	20-6
N.Y. Jets at S.D.	20-14
St. Louis at Seattle	14-48
New England at S.D.	14-23
Los Angeles at S.D.	16-30
Minnesota at Minnesota	0-42

1973 (1-5)

N.Y. Giants at S.D.	3-28
St. Louis at S.D.	13-17
San Francisco at S.F.	7-19
Philadelphia at S.D.	24-17
Los Angeles at L.A.	17-30
Minnesota at S.D.	16-24

1972 (4-1-1)

Atlanta at S.D.	30-7
Minnesota at Minn.	13-24
San Francisco at S.D.	17-16
New Orleans at N.O.	16-14
Los Angeles at S.D.	14-13
N.Y. Jets at S.D.	20-20

1971 (4-2)

Washington at S.D.	19-10
Minnesota at S.D.	7-34
San Francisco at S.F.	17-28
New Orleans at S.D.	22-7
Los Angeles at L.A.	20-14
Atlanta at S.D.	21-14

1970 (3-3)

Dallas at S.D.	10-20
N.Y. Giants at S.D.	30-27
Chicago at S.D.	14-9
Los Angeles at S.D.	14-16
St. Louis at Cleveland	38-27
New Orleans at N.O.	14-20

1969 (2-2-1)

Baltimore at S.D.	6-26
New Orleans at S.D.	10-7
Oakland at S.D.	10-7
Cleveland at S.D.	19-19
Los Angeles at S.D.	14-24

1968 (3-2)

San Francisco at S.D.	30-18
Oakland at Oakland	7-31
Pittsburgh at S.D.	33-36
Los Angeles at S.D.	35-13
Denver at San Antonio, Tex.	6-3

1967 (1-4)

Oakland at Oakland	23-24
Miami at Miami	20-19
Detroit at S.D.	17-38
Los Angeles at S.D.	7-50
Pittsburgh at S.D.	7-16

1966 (2-2)

Miami at S.D.	38-10
Oakland at S.D.	7-14
Kansas City at Anaheim	21-31
Boston at S.D.	31-13

1965 (3-2)

Oakland at S.D.	3-10
Kansas City at K.C.	31-10
Denver at Denver	21-6
Oakland at Portland, Ore.	46-17
Houston at Little Rock, Ark.	10-13

1964 (4-1)

Denver at S.D.	34-20
Houston at Little Rock, Ark.	44-38
Kansas City at K.C.	26-14
New York at Atlanta	6-34
Oakland at S.D.	24-10

1963 (4-1)

Kansas City at S.D.	26-14
Boston at S.D.	50-17
Denver at Denver	25-31
Houston at Houston	21-3
Oakland at S.D.	13-3

1962 (4-0)

Dallas at S.D.	17-0
Denver at S.D.	31-24
Oakland at Oakland	33-27
New York at S.D.	14-9

1961 (4-0)

Houston at S.D.	27-14
Houston at Honolulu	46-28
Oakland at S.D.	35-7
Dallas at S.D.	31-10

1960 (4-0)

New York at L.A.	27-7
Houston at L.A.	22-13
Oakland at S.F.	24-17
Denver at L.A.	36-30

* Game stopped due to severe weather conditions with 9:17 left to play

Chronology

1959

Aug. 14 – First organizational meeting of proposed football league is held in Chicago with representatives of six teams, including Los Angeles entry headed by Barron Hilton, in attendance.

Aug. 22 – Second organizational meeting is held in Dallas with announcement that league will be known as "American Football League".

Oct. 14 – Frank Leahy, legendary former Notre Dame University football coach, is named general manager of Los Angeles team.

Oct. 28 – Gerald Courtney of Hollywood wins expenses-paid trip to Mexico City and Acapulco after submitting "Chargers" in name-the-team contest.

1960

Jan. 7 – Sid Gillman, former coach of NFL Los Angeles Rams, signs three-year contract as head coach of Chargers.

March 20 – Owner Barron Hilton unveils Chargers uniforms, blue and gold with lightning bolts on sides of helmets and trousers, at cocktail party at Hilton's Santa Monica residence; players Jack Kemp and Ron Mix model uniforms.

April 9-12 – A total of 207 candidates is reduced to three who are invited back to summer training camp after four-day tryout camp in Burbank that focused on athletes' speed and agility.

June 9 – Chargers and other AFL teams sign five-year contract with American Broadcasting Company for televising of selected games.

July 1 – General manager Frank Leahy resigns because of health.

July 8 – Chargers open training camp at Chapman College, Orange, 30 miles Southeast of Los Angeles.

July 9 – Sid Gillman assumes dual role of coach and general manager.

Aug. 6 – Paul Lowe returns opening kickoff 105 yards for a touchdown as Chargers defeat New York Titans 27-7 before 27,778 persons in Los Angeles Coliseum in first preseason game.

Sept. 10 – The Chargers overcome 20-7 deficit in fourth quarter to defeat Dallas 21-20 before 17,724 persons in Coliseum in opening league game.

Dec. 10 – A crowd of 9,928 persons in Coliseum watches Chargers top Denver 41-33 to clinch AFL Western Division title.

Dec. 23 – Hilton says he will accept invitation to visit San Diego regarding a possible move of Chargers from Los Angeles.

1961

Jan. 1 – A crowd of 32,183 in Jeppesen Stadium and a national television audience sees host Houston defeat L.A. 24-16 for AFL championship.

Jan. 6 – Civic leaders form Greater San Diego Sports Association to bring major league sports to San Diego, following Hilton's visit.

Feb. 10 – AFL gives Hilton formal approval to move Chargers to San Diego.

May 1 – Construction begins on enlarging Balboa Stadium, where the San Diego Chargers will play home games, from 23,000 to 34,000 by building an upper deck.

July 22 – The Chargers open training camp at University of San Diego.

Aug. 6 – Balboa Stadium is reminiscent of ancient Roman ruins as Chargers defeat Houston 27-14 on a 93-degree afternoon before paid crowd of 12,304 persons (total attendance estimated at 15,000) in first preseason game.

Nov. 19 – Chargers defeat Dallas 24-14 to clinch AFL West title with 5 games remaining; safety Charlie McNeil makes club's forty-third pass interception, a professional record.

Dec. 17 – The Chargers lose to Boston 41-0 in Balboa Stadium but Dick Harris intercepts Babe Parilli's pass to Gino Cappelletti in fourth quarter for Chargers' forty-ninth of season.

Dec. 24 – Houston defeats Chargers 10-3 before 29,556 persons in Balboa Stadium to win second AFL championship.

1962

Jan. 7 – West defeats East 47-27 in Balboa Stadium in first AFL All-Star game, featuring 11 Chargers and coach Sid Gillman and his staff.

July 16 – Chargers open training camp at University of San Diego.

Dec. 16 – A 26-17 loss to Dallas marks the end of a 4-10 season for the Chargers, who saw 23 players miss at least 2 games with injuries.

1963

Jan. 13 – Chargers Earl Faison is named outstanding defensive player as West defeats East 21-14 in AFL All-Star game before 27,641 persons in Balboa Stadium.

April 30 – Barron Hilton and his father, Conrad, sell one-third of their interest in the Chargers to San Diego businessmen John Mabee, George Pernicano, Kenneth Swanson, and James Copley, and M.L. Bengtson of Los Angeles.

July 10 – The Chargers open their training camp at Rough Acres Ranch, located near Boulevard, a hamlet of 100 persons in the mountains of East San Diego County, 60 miles from the city.

Dec. 22 – Eight Chargers score and Paul Lowe rushes for 183 yards in 17 carries and scores two touchdowns as the Chargers clinch AFL West title with 58-20 victory over Denver; season ended week later than scheduled after AFL postponed games weekend following Nov. 22 assassination of President John F. Kennedy.

1964

Jan. 5 – Keith Lincoln accounts for 349 yards total offense as Chargers win their first AFL championship, defeating Boston 51-10, before 30,127 persons in Balboa Stadium.

Jan. 19 – Lincoln is named outstanding player after gaining 121 yards in 14 carries as West defeats East 27-14 in front of 20,016 persons in AFL All-Star game in Balboa Stadium.

Jan. 29 – The Chargers and other AFL teams sign a five-year television contract with National Broadcasting Company for a record \$36 million; the contract will commence with the 1965 season.

July 15 – The Chargers open training camp at the Travelodge in Escondido.

Oct. 3 – The Chargers and New York Jets tied 17-17 before a record AFL crowd of 50,222 persons—46,828 paid—in New York's Shea Stadium.

Nov. 26 – A Balboa Stadium attendance record of 34,865 is set as Buffalo defeats San Diego 27-24 on Thanksgiving Day.

Dec. 6 – The Chargers defeat the Jets 38-3 before 25,753 persons in Balboa Stadium to clinch their fourth AFL West title in five years.

Dec. 26 – With wide receiver Lance Alworth out of the game with a knee injury and fullback Keith Lincoln sidelined in the first quarter with a fractured rib, the Chargers are beaten 20-7 in Buffalo for the AFL championship.

1965

Jan. 16 – Fullback Keith Lincoln runs 80 yards for one touchdown and combines on a 73-yard pass play for a touchdown as the West defeats the East 38-14 in the AFL All-Star game before 15,446 persons at Houston's Jeppesen Stadium. The game, originally moved from San Diego to New Orleans, was switched to Houston on one day's notice after black players experienced mistreatment in New Orleans.

May 17 – The City Council approves expenditure of \$750,000 for architectural and engineering drawings of a 50,000-seat stadium at the Southwest corner of Friars Road and Murphy Canyon Road in Mission Valley.

April 27 – The San Diego City Council endorses construction of a multipurpose stadium in Mission Valley and drops the idea of a floating stadium in Mission Bay.

July 14 – The Chargers open their Escondido training camp.

Nov. 2 – Construction of a \$27-million San Diego Stadium is authorized by a 73 percent "yes" vote by San Diego citizens.

Dec. 12 – The Chargers claim their fifth AFL West title in six years by winning in Houston 37-26.

Dec. 24 – Groundbreaking ceremonies are conducted for San Diego Stadium.

Dec. 23 – Paul Lowe and Lance Alworth finish 1-2 in balloting by players for AFL player of the year.

Dec. 26 – Buffalo defeats the Chargers 23-0 in front of 30,361 persons in Balboa Stadium for the AFL championship; a new automobile, the "Charger", is introduced by Chrysler officials at halftime.

1966

Jan. 15 – The AFL All-Stars beat the Buffalo Bills, 30-19, as Lance Alworth catches two touchdown passes and Chargers' linebacker Frank Buncom is defensive player of the game before a crowd of 35,572 persons in Houston's Rice Stadium.

Jan. 18 – Tight end Dave Kocourek, guard Ernest Park, and defensive backs Dick Westmoreland and Jimmy Warren are selected from San Diego by Miami in the allocation draft to stock the new AFL franchise during league meeting in Houston.

June 8 – AFL and National Football League teams announce plans to merge in the 1970 season and Chargers and Los Angeles Rams announce they will play three preseason games in San Diego Stadium, beginning in 1967.

July 8 – The Chargers report to training camp in Escondido.

Aug. 25 – Eugene V. Klein of Beverly Hills heads a group of 21 business executives who purchase the Chargers for \$10 million, a record transaction in professional football.

July 10 – The Chargers report to their Escondido training camp.

Aug. 20 – San Diego Stadium is dedicated before a crowd of 45,988 persons; Detroit defeats the Chargers 38-17 in San Diego's first meeting with an NFL team.

Oct. 15 – Leslie (Speedy) Duncan has 203 yards in returns – 35 on a fumble recovery for a touchdown, 68 on four kickoff returns, and 100 for a touchdown on the longest reception return in AFL history as the Chargers defeated visiting Kansas City 45-31 in a game in which both teams combined for 897 yards total offense and 622 in returns.

Dec. 3—The Chargers are beaten by Oakland 41-21 before the first sellout crowd in the Stadium, 52,661 persons, and 2,018 persons who also watched the game on closed-circuit television in the San Diego Sports Arena.

1968

July 5—The Chargers open training camp in Escondido.

Aug. 3—The Chargers open the preseason at home and score their first victory over an NFL team, defeating San Francisco 30-18 before 39,553 persons in San Diego Stadium.

Nov. 24—Leslie (Speedy) Duncan sets an AFL record with a 95-yard punt return for a touchdown in a 37-15 loss to the New York Jets in San Diego Stadium.

1969

July 11—The Chargers open training camp at the University of California at Irvine, 85 miles north of San Diego.

Sept. 28—After losing their first two games, the Chargers defeat the defending Super Bowl III champion New York Jets before a record San Diego Stadium crowd of 54,042 persons.

Nov. 14—Offensive backfield coach Charlie Waller is named head coach following the resignation of Sid Gillman, who is suffering from stomach ulcer and chest hernia. Gillman continues as general manager.

Dec. 14—Lance Alworth sets a professional record with a pass reception in his ninety-sixth consecutive game; the Chargers finish the season with an 8-6 record and a 45-6 victory over Buffalo.

1970

Jan. 17—John Hadl completes 18 of 26 passes for 224 yards and 1 touchdown and leads the West to a 26-3 victory over the East in the final AFL All-Star game before 30,170 persons in the Houston Astrodome.

July 15—Smoke and ashes from a huge fire in San Diego's East County darken the skies over San Diego Stadium as John Hadl hurls touchdown bombs of 65 yards to Jeff Queen and 37 yards to Lance Alworth in the final 5:18 of play, giving the Chargers a 27-27 tie with Oakland.

Dec. 30—Sid Gillman returns as head coach and Charlie Waller becomes offense coach in staff reorganization announced by President Gene Klein.

1971

May 19—The Chargers trade wide receiver Lance Alworth to Dallas for tight end Pettis Norman, tackle Tony Liscio, and defensive tackle Ron East.

July 10—Summer training camp opens at UC Irvine.

Nov. 15—Dennis Partee's 45-yard field goal at the gun lifts the Chargers to a 20-17, Monday Night victory over St. Louis.

Nov. 22—After a 34-33 loss at Oakland, leaving San Diego with a 4-6 record, head coach Sid Gillman resigns and is replaced on an interim basis by general manager Harland Svare.

Dec. 19—Svare is named head coach in a lockerroom press conference following a season-ending, 49-33 loss at Houston.

1972

Jan. 18—John Hadl is named National Football League "Man of the Year" in balloting for top-citizen-athlete of 1971; a \$25,000 scholarship fund in Hadl's name will benefit San Diego students.

March 28—Former Chargers great Lance Alworth is inducted into San Diego Hall of Fame at the Balboa Park Hall of Champions.

July 12 – The Chargers report to their Irvine training camp.

Sept. 5 – The Chargers trade defensive tackle George Wright to Cleveland for a 1973 fifth-round draft choice, climaxing a 221-day period in which general manager-coach Harland Svare consummates 21 trades, an NFL record.

Dec. 3 – The Chargers outgain Oakland 440 yards to 298 and Mike Garrett rushes for 145 yards in 28 carries but lose 21-19 before a record San Diego Stadium crowd of 54,611.

1973

Jan. 22 – The Chargers obtain quarterback immortal John Unitas from Baltimore.

Jan. 25 – In the second stage of the Unitas acquisition, the Chargers trade quarterback John Hadl to Los Angeles for defensive end Lander McCoy Bacon and running back Bob Thomas.

July 11 – The Chargers begin training camp at UC Irvine.

Sept. 30 – Unitas' 30-yard pass completion to Mike Garrett against Cincinnati in San Diego makes Unitas the first quarterback to pass for more than 40,000 yards.

Nov. 5 – Harland Svare remains as general manager after resigning as head coach; Ron Waller appointed interim head coach.

1974

Jan. 8 – Tommy Prothro is named the fifth head coach of the Chargers; the announcement is made by President Gene Klein.

Jan. 29 – Prothro's first significant trade sends Walt Sweeney, 32-year-old former all-pro guard who played in 154 consecutive games for the Chargers, to Washington for a draft choice.

July 3 – The Chargers open training camp at a new base, U.S. International University, 9 miles North of San Diego Stadium.

Sept. 29 – Rookie Don Woods, claimed on waivers 12 days before from Green Bay, rushes for 157 yards in 18 carries and scores on a 56-yard run but defending Super Bowl VIII champion Miami scores 21 points in the final 11 minutes for a 28-21 victory.

Dec. 15 – Don Woods rushes for 105 yards to set a Chargers and NFL rookie one-season record of 1,162 yards; the Chargers, 17-0 victory over Denver represents their first shutout in 105 games.

1975

Jan. 2 – Don Woods is named NFL rookie of the year.

Feb. 6 – John Sanders is named assistant to the President.

March 10 – Former Chargers tackle Ron Mix is inducted into the San Diego Hall of Fame.

June 17 – Paul (Tank) Younger is named assistant general manager.

July 8 – The Chargers open training camp at USIU.

Oct. 12 – Tom Dempsey's 27-yard field goal after 9/27 of overtime gives Los Angeles a 13-10 victory over the Chargers.

Dec. 7 – The Chargers end an 11-game losing streak by defeating Kansas City 28-20.

1976

Feb. 16 – John Sanders is named general manager following Jan. 20 resignation of Harland Svare.

July 5 – The Chargers make the University of California at San Diego the sixth summer training base in club history.

Aug. 8 – San Diego defeats New England 27-17 in Norman, Oklahoma at the beginning of a 15-day odyssey.

Aug. 15 – A crowd announced at 38,000 watches the St. Louis Cardinals defeat the Chargers 20-10 in Tokyo's Korakuen Stadium.

Aug. 21 – The Chargers complete their international trip with a 17-16 loss to San Francisco in Honolulu.

Sept. 28 – The Chargers explode for 27 points in the second quarter and demolish St. Louis 43-24 for a 3-0 start, their best since 1968.

Oct. 17 – The Chargers invite many of their former players to an alumni weekend in San Diego and celebrate the occasion with a 30-27 victory over Houston; the late Frank Buncom, Bob Laraba, Emil Karas, and Jacque MacKinnon are made honorary members of the new Chargers' Hall of Fame.

1977

July 15 – The Chargers open their UC San Diego training camp.

Oct. 30 – Rolf Benirschke's point after touchdown with time elapsed, after James Harris's five-yard touchdown run on fourth down, gives the Chargers a 14-13 victory at Miami.

Nov. 13 – Lance Alworth, who starred for the Chargers from 1962-70, becomes the first elected member of the Chargers' Hall of Fame at halftime of the Chargers' game with Denver.

Nov. 20 – With quarterbacks James Harris and Bill Munson sidelined with injuries and with Dan Fouts not having reported, the Chargers beat defending Super Bowl XI champion Oakland 12-7 behind rookie quarterback Cliff Olander before 50,887 persons in San Diego Stadium.

1978

Jan. 23 – Lance Alworth becomes the first player from the American Football League to be named to the Pro Football Hall of Fame, during halftime of the AFC-NFC Pro Bowl in Tampa.

July 12 – The Chargers' training camp begins at UC San Diego.

Sept. 25 – Don Coryell is named the sixth head coach of the Chargers by President Gene Klein after Tommy Prothro resigns.

Oct. 8 – The Chargers control the ball for 45 minutes, 17 seconds, and defeat Denver 23-0 for Coryell's first victory.

Nov. 5 – Ron Mix is inducted into the Chargers' Hall of Fame at halftime of the Cincinnati game.

Nov. 12 – Dan Fouts's 14-yard pass to John Jefferson with no time remaining gives the Chargers a 29-23 victory in overtime over Kansas City.

1979

Jan. 29 – Ron Mix becomes the second AFL player and second Charger to be named to the Pro Football Hall of Fame, during halftime of the AFC-NFC Pro Bowl in Los Angeles.

May 3 – The Chargers trade their twentieth and forty-seventh picks in the NFL draft for Cleveland's thirteenth choice, with which San Diego chooses tight end Kellen Winslow, University of Missouri.

July 16 – Training camp opens at UCSD.

Oct. 21 – Quarterback Dan Fouts' 326 yards passing in 40-16 victory at Los Angeles ties NFL record for consecutive 300-yard passing games.

Oct. 25 – Fouts sets an NFL record with his fourth consecutive 300-yard passing game, throwing for 303 yards at Oakland.

Nov. 18 – Running back Paul Lowe is inducted into the Chargers' Hall of Fame during halftime ceremonies of the Pittsburgh game.

Dec. 11 – The Chargers clinch their first playoff berth in 14 years, scoring all points in the first half of a 35-0 victory at New Orleans.

Dec. 17 — The Chargers defeat Denver 17-7 for their first division title since 1965 before 51,910 persons in San Diego Stadium and a national Monday Night television audience.

1980

Jan. 14 — John Sanders, general manager of the Chargers, is named NFL executive of the year in balloting of other NFL executives by The Sporting News.

Jan. 27 — Head coach Don Coryell and his staff and players Russ Washington, Dan Fouts, Gary Johnson, Fred Dean, John Jefferson, Charlie Joiner, and Ed White represent the Chargers on AFC team in Pro Bowl at Honolulu's Aloha Stadium.

July 11 — The Chargers open training camp at UCSD.

Sept. 14 — Dan Fouts's 24-yard touchdown pass to John Jefferson gives the Chargers a 30-24 victory over Oakland after 8:09 of overtime before 51,943 persons in San Diego Stadium.

Sept. 28 — The Chargers win their fourth game in a row against AFC West competition, defeating Kansas City 24-7 in Arrowhead Stadium and the 4-0 record is the Chargers best at the beginning of the season since 1966.

Oct. 19 — Dan Fouts sets a club record with 444 yards passing and the Chargers' 44-7 victory over the New York Giants is the most one-sided by a San Diego team since 1969.

Nov. 29 — Running back Keith Lincoln is inducted into the Chargers' Hall of Fame at halftime of the Philadelphia game.

Dec. 22 — Kellen Winslow catches 10 passes for 171 yards and the Chargers clinch their second straight AFC West title by defeating Pittsburgh 26-17 before 51,785 persons in San Diego Stadium and a national Monday night television audience. San Diego Mayor Pete Wilson announces that the stadium will be renamed San Diego Jack Murphy Stadium in honor of Jack Murphy, late sports editor of The San Diego Union.

1981

Feb. 1 — Eight Chargers are on the AFC Pro Bowl squad and, for the first time in Pro Bowl history, three defensive linemen from the same team, Gary Johnson, Louie Kelcher, and Fred Dean, are in the starting lineup.

July 17 — The Chargers open training camp at UCSD.

Sept. 7 — Dan Fouts passes for 330 yards and 3 touchdowns, Chuck Muncie rushes for 161 yards, and Charlie Joiner catches passes for 191 yards as the Chargers rout Cleveland 44-14 before 78,904 persons in Cleveland on the opening Monday night of the season.

Oct. 25 — John Ravelo's 26-yard field goal after 9:30 of overtime gives Chicago a 20-17 victory over the Chargers in Soldier Field.

Nov. 29 — Ernie Ladd and Walt Sweeney, stars of the sixties, are inducted into the Chargers' Hall of Fame at halftime of the Denver game.

Dec. 21 — The Chargers clinch their third straight AFC West championship for the third straight year on the final Monday night of the season, defeating Oakland 23-10.

1982

Jan. 2 — Rolf Benirschke's 27-yard field goal after 13:52 of overtime gives the Chargers a dramatic, 41-38 victory over Miami in the Orange Bowl in one of the epic games in NFL history.

Jan. 10 — After playing in perhaps the greatest game, the Chargers lose the AFC Championship on the coldest; the temperature is nine degrees below zero and wind-chill factor is 59 below as Cincinnati beats the Chargers 27-7 in Riverfront Stadium.

Records, Miscellany



Individual Records

(asterisk indicates playoff or championship)

Service

Most Seasons, Active Player

- 14 Russ Washington, 1968-81
- 11 John Hadl, 1962-72
- Sam Grunelsen, 1962-72
- Walt Sweeney, 1963-73
- Gary Garrison, 1966-76
- Doug Wilkerson, 1971-81

Most Games

- 191 Russ Washington, 1968-81
- 158 Doug Wilkerson, 1971-81
- 154 John Hadl, 1962-72
- Walt Sweeney, 1963-73
- 136 Ron Mix, 1960-69

Most Consecutive Games

- 178 Russ Washington, 1968-80
- 154 John Hadl, 1962-72
- Walt Sweeney, 1963-73

Most Consecutive Starts

- 148 Russ Washington, 1970-80
- 140 Walt Sweeney, 1964-73
- 114 Doug Wilkerson, 1971-78

Scoring

Most Points, Career

- 500 Lance Alworth
- 417 Rolf Benirschke, 1977-81
- 380 Dennis Partee, 1968-75
- 348 Gary Garrison, 1966-76

Most Points, Season

- 118 Rolf Benirschke, 1980
(46 PAT, 24 FG)
- 114 Chuck Muncie, 1981
(19 TDs rushing)
- 112 Rolf Benirschke, 1981
(19 FG, 55 PAT)
- 108 Dennis Partee, 1968
(40 PAT, 17 FG)

Most Points, Season, Rookie

- 106 Dennis Partee, 1968
(40 PAT, 17 FG)
- 94 Herb Travenio, 1965
(40 PAT, 18 FG)
- 81 George Blair, 1961
(42 PAT, 13 FG)

Most Points, Game

- 30 Kellen Winslow, at Oakland,
Nov. 22, 1981 (5 TD)
- 24 Lance Alworth, at Denver,
Dec. 1, 1968 (4 TD)
- Clarence Williams, vs.
Buffalo, Sept. 16, 1979 (4 TD)
- Chuck Muncie, vs. Denver,
Nov. 29, 1981 (4 TD)

Touchdowns

Most Seasons, Leading League

- 3 Lance Alworth, 1964-66

Most, Career

- 83 Lance Alworth, 1962-70
- 58 Gary Garrison, 1966-76
- 46 Paul Lowe, 1960-67

Most, Season

- 15 Lance Alworth, 1964
- 14 Lance Alworth, 1965
- 13 Lance Alworth, 1966
- John Jefferson, 1978, 1980

Most, Game

- 5 Kellen Winslow, at Oakland,
Nov. 22, 1981 (5 Rec.)
- 4 Lance Alworth, at Denver,
Dec. 1, 1968 (4 Rec.)
- Clarence Williams, vs.
Buffalo,
Sept. 16, 1979 (4 R)
- Chuck Muncie, vs. Denver,
Nov. 29, 1981 (4 R)
- 3 5 Times (Last: Hank Bauer,
at New Orleans,
Dec. 9, 1979, 3 R)

Most Consecutive Games

- 9 Lance Alworth, 1964

Points After Touchdown

Most Attempts, Career

- 190 Rolf Benirschke, 1977-81
- 175 Dennis Partee, 1968-75
- 135 George Blair, 1961-64

Most Attempts, Season

- 61 Rolf Benirschke, 1977-81
- 48 George Blair, 1963
- 47 George Blair, 1961
- Ben Agajanian, 1960

Most Attempts, Game

- 8 Rolf Benirschke, at Oakland,
Nov. 22, 1981

Most, Career

- 171 Rolf Benirschke, 1977-81
- 167 Dennis Partee, 1968-75
- 122 George Blair, 1961-64

Most, Season

- 55 Rolf Benirschke, 1981
- 46 Ben Agajanian, 1960
- Dick Van Raaphorst, 1967
- Rolf Benirschke, 1980

Most, Game

- 7 4 Times (Last: Rolf
Benirschke, at Oakland,
Nov. 22, 1981)

Most Consecutive

- 75 Dick Van Raaphorst,
Oct. 2, 1966-Dec. 24, 1967
(24 games)
- 54 Dennis Partee, 2 Times
Last: Sept. 14, 1971-Dec. 19,
1971, 13 games)
- 40 Herb Travenio, Sept. 11,
1965-Dec. 19, 1965
(14 games)
- 36 Ben Agajanian, Sept. 10,
1960-Dec. 4, 1960 (11 games)

Field Goals

Most Attempts, Career

- 121 Dennis Partee, 1968-75
- 111 Rolf Benirschke, 1977-81
- 80 George Blair, 1961-64

Most Attempts, Season

- 36 Rolf Benirschke, 1980
- 32 Dennis Partee, 1968

Most Attempts, Game

- 7 Dick Van Raaphorst,
at N.Y. Jets, Oct. 8, 1966
- 6 Toni Fritsch, at Tampa Bay,
Sept. 19, 1976

Most, Career

- 82 Rolf Benirschke, 1977-81
- 71 Dennis Partee, 1968-75
- 50 George Blair, 1961-64

Most, Game

- 4 Dennis Partee, vs. Oakland,
Dec. 15, 1968
- Ray Wersching, vs. New
England, Nov. 9, 1975
- Rolf Benirschke, at Seattle,
Sept. 2, 1979
- Mike Wood, at Cincinnati,
Nov. 11, 1979
- Rolf Benirschke, vs.
Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980

Most, Game, No Misses

- 4 Rolf Benirschke, at Seattle,
Sept. 2, 1979
- Mike Wood, at Cincinnati,
Nov. 11, 1979
- Rolf Benirschke, vs.
Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980

Highest Percentage, Season (minimum 14 att.)

- .850 George Blair, 1962 (17x20)
- .818 Rolf Benirschke, 1978 (18x22)

Longest

- 53 Rolf Benirschke, at Denver,
Sept. 21, 1980
- 52 Rolf Benirschke, vs. Oakland,
Sept. 14, 1980
- Rolf Benirschke, at Denver,
Sept. 27, 1981
- 51 Dennis Partee, at Baltimore,
Oct. 8, 1972

Most Consecutive

- 13 Rolf Benirschke, 1977-78
- Rolf Benirschke, 1978-79
- 10 Dennis Partee, 1968

Rushing

Most Seasons Leading League, Attempts

- 1 Paul Lowe, 1965

Most Attempts, Career

- 1,014 Paul Lowe, 1960-67

Most Attempts, Season

- 272 Mike Garrett, 1972

Most Attempts, Game

- 29 Mike Garrett, at Oakland, Oct. 1, 1972 (72 yds.)
Lydell Mitchell, vs. Kansas City, Nov. 12, 1978 (144 yds.)

Yardage

Most Seasons Leading League

- 1 Paul Lowe, 1965
Dick Post, 1968

Most, Career

- 4,963 Paul Lowe, 1960-67

Most, Season

- 1,162 Don Woods, 1974

Most, Game

- *206 Keith Lincoln, vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964 (13 att.)
189 Brad Hubbert, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 24, 1967 (15 att.)

Longest Run

- 871 Paul Lowe, at Dallas, Sept. 10, 1961

Average Yardage

Highest, Career

(minimum 460 att.)

- 4.89 Paul Lowe, 1960-67
(1,014-4,963)

Highest, Season

(minimum 100 att.)

- 6.45 Keith Lincoln (128-826)
6.30 Paul Lowe, 1960 (135-855)

Highest, Game (minimum 10 att.)

- *16.85 Keith Lincoln, vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964 (13-206)
13.83 Keith Lincoln, at Oakland, Sept. 30, 1962 (12-166)
12.70 Keith Lincoln at Kansas City, Oct. 10, 1963 (10-127)
12.60 Brad Hubbert, vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 24, 1967 (15-189)

Touchdowns

Most, Career

- 39 Paul Lowe, 1960-67
23 Chuck Muncie, 1980-81
17 Dick Post, 1967-70
Hank Bauer, 1977-80
16 Don Woods, 1974-80

Most, Season

- 19 Chuck Muncie, 1981
12 Clarence Williams, 1979
9 Paul Lowe, 1961
8 4 Times (Last: Hank Bauer, 1979)

Most, Game

- 4 Clarence Williams, vs. Buffalo, Sept. 16, 1979
Chuck Muncie, vs. Denver, Nov. 29, 1981
3 3 Times (Last: Hank Bauer, at New Orleans, Dec. 9, 1979)

Passing

Most Attempts, Lifetime

- 3,640 John Hadl, 1962-72

Most Attempts, Season

- 609 Dan Fouts, 1981

Most Attempts, Game

- *53 Dan Fouts, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
52 John Hadl, vs. Oakland, Dec. 15, 1968
49 Dan Fouts, at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981
*47 Dan Fouts, vs. Houston, Dec. 29, 1979
Dan Fouts, at Denver, Sept. 27, 1981
46 John Hadl, vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 24, 1968
45 Dan Fouts, at Denver, Oct. 7, 1979
Dan Fouts, vs. Denver, Nov. 9, 1980

Completions

Most, Career

- 1,849 Dan Fouts, 1973-1981

Most Season

- 360 Dan Fouts, 1981

Most, Game

- 33 Dan Fouts, at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981
* Dan Fouts, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
29 Dan Fouts, vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980 (OT)
Dan Fouts, vs. Denver, Nov. 9, 1980

Most Consecutive

- 13 John Hadl, at Houston, Oct. 25, 1964
12 Tobin Rote, at N.Y. Jets and Boston, Nov. 2-10, 1963
11 Dan Fouts, vs. San Francisco and at Denver, Sept. 30-Oct. 7, 1979

Efficiency

Highest, Career

(minimum 500 att.)

- .577 Dan Fouts, 1973-1981
(3203-1849)

Highest, Season

(minimum 140 att.)

- .626 Dan Fouts, 1979 (530-332)

Highest, Game (minimum 20 att.)

- .800 Dan Fouts, vs. Seattle, Oct. 14, 1979 (35-28)
.764 Dan Fouts, vs. San Francisco, Sept. 30, 1979 (34-25)
.760 Dan Fouts, at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981 (25-19)
.739 Dan Fouts, at New Orleans, Dec. 9, 1979 (23-17)
.737 Dan Fouts, vs. Atlanta, Dec. 2, 1979 (38-28)
.733 Dan Fouts, vs. Miami, Oct. 15, 1978 (30-22)

Yardage

Most Seasons Leading League

- 3 John Hadl, 1965, 1968, 1971
Dan Fouts, 1979-1981

Most Yards, Career

- 26,938 John Hadl, 1962-72

Most Yards, Season

- 4,802 Dan Fouts, 1981 (NFL record)

Most, Game

- 444 Dan Fouts, vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980

Most Games 300 Yards or More, Career

- 25 Dan Fouts, 1973-81

Most Games 300 Yards or More, Season

- 8 Dan Fouts, 1980 (NFL record)

Most Consecutive Games, 300 Yards or More

- 4 Dan Fouts, 1979, 1980-1981
(NFL record)

Longest Completion

- 91 Jack Kemp to Keith Lincoln, at Denver Nov. 12, 1961 (TD)

Touchdowns

Most Seasons Leading League

- 2 John Hadl, 1968, 1971

Most, Career

- 201 John Hadl, 1962-72

Most, Season

- 33 Dan Fouts, 1981

Most, Game

- 6 Dan Fouts, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
5 John Hadl, at Denver, Dec. 1, 1968
4 9 Times (Last: Dan Fouts, at Seattle, Sept. 7, 1980)

Most Consecutive Games

- 20 Dan Fouts, 1979-80
19 John Hadl, 1966-67

Had Intercepted

Most Seasons Leading League

- 1 John Hadl, 1968

Most, Game

- 6 John Hadl, vs. Kansas City, Dec. 8, 1968
- 5 Many Times (Last: Dan Fouts, vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980 (OT))
- 5 Times (Last: John Hadl, vs. Oakland, Sept. 26, 1971)

Most, Career

- 211 John Hadl, 1962-72

Most, Season

- 32 John Hadl, 1968

Fewest, Season

- 11 James Harris, 1977 (211 att.)
- John Hadl, 1969 (324 att.)
- 14 John Hadl, 1966 (375 att.)
- Dan Fouts, 1976 (359 att.)

Most Consecutive Attempts, None Intercepted

- 168 Dan Fouts, Sept. 27, 1981-Oct. 25, 1981 (5 games)
- 112 John Hadl, 1970
- 108 Dan Fouts, 1975-76
- 88 Jack Kemp, 1960-61

Lowest Percentage of Interceptions, Season

- .0279 Dan Fouts, 1981 (609-17)
- .0340 John Hadl, 1969 (324-11)
- .0373 John Hadl, 1966 (375-14)
- .0390 Dan Fouts, 1976 (359-14)

Receiving**Most Seasons Leading League**

- 3 Lance Alworth, 1966, 1968, 1969

Most, Career

- 493 Lance Alworth, 1962-70

Most, Season

- 89 Kellen Winslow, 1980

Most, Game

- *13 3 Times (Last: Kellen Winslow, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (166 yds.) OT)
- 13 Lance Alworth, at Boston, Nov. 10, 1963 (210 yds.)
- 10 7 Times (Last: Kellen Winslow, vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980, 71 yards)

Most Consecutive Games

- 96 Lance Alworth, 1962-69
- 57 Gary Garrison, 1966-70

Yardage**Most Seasons Leading League**

- 3 Lance Alworth, 1965, 1966, 1969

Most, Career

- 9,585 Lance Alworth, 1962-70

Most Yards, Season

- 1,602 Lance Alworth, 1965

Most Yards, Game

- 232 Lance Alworth, at Kansas City, Nov. 20, 1963 (9 rec.)

Longest Reception

- 91 Keith Lincoln from Jack Kemp, at Denver, Nov. 12, 1961 (TD)
- 85 Lance Alworth from Tobin Rote, at Denver, Oct. 6, 1963 (TD)
- Lance Alworth from John Hadl, vs. Boston, Oct. 31, 1965 (TD)

Average Gain**Highest, Career****(minimum 175 rec.)**

- 19.44 Lance Alworth, 1962-70 (493 rec.)

Highest, Season**(minimum 35 rec.)**

- 23.2 Lance Alworth, 1965
- 22.9 Gary Garrison, 1970

Touchdowns**Most Seasons Leading League**

- 3 Lance Alworth, 1964, 1965, 1966

Most Career

- 81 Lance Alworth, 1962-70

Most, Season

- 14 Lance Alworth, 1965

Most, Game

- 5 Kellen Winslow, at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
- 4 Lance Alworth, at Denver, Dec. 1, 1968

Most Consecutive Games

- 9 Lance Alworth, 1963

Interceptions By**Most, Career**

- 29 Dick Harris, 1960-65
- 25 Kenny Graham, 1964-69
- 22 Joe Beauchamp, 1968-74
- 21 Bob Howard, 1967-74

Most, Season

- 9 Charlie McNeil, 1961
- 8 Bob Zeman, 1961
- Claude Gibson, 1962
- Dick Harris, 1963

Most, Game

- 3 9 Times (Last: Pete Shaw, at Cincinnati, Nov. 2, 1980)

Most Consecutive Games

- 5 Charlie McNeil, 1961
- 4 Bryant Salter, 1972

Yardage**Most Seasons Leading League**

- 1 Charlie McNeil

Most, Career

- 502 Charlie McNeil, 1960-64
- 477 Kenny Graham, 1964-69
- 433 Joe Beauchamp, 1966-74

Most, Season

- 349 Charlie McNeil, 1961
- 151 Bob Laraba, 1961
- 150 Woodrow Lowe, 1979

Most, Game

- 177 Charlie McNeil, vs. Houston, Sept. 24, 1961 (3 int.)
- 106 Woodrow Lowe, vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979 (2 int.)
- 100 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 15, 1967 (1 int.)

Longest Return

- 100 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. Kansas City, Oct. 15, 1967 (TD)

Touchdowns**Most, Career**

- 5 Dick Harris, 1960-64
- Kenny Graham, 1964-69

Most Season

- 3 Dick Harris, 1961
- 2 Charlie McNeil, 1961
- Joe Beauchamp, 1968
- Kenny Graham, 1969
- Woodrow Lowe, 1979

Most, Game

- 1 Many Times (Last: Gary Johnson, at Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1981 (5 yards, lateral from Leroy Jones))

Punting**Most, Career**

- 519 Dennis Partee, 1968-75
- 258 Jeff West, 1976-79
- 242 Paul Maguire, 1960-63

Most, Season

- 79 Paul Maguire, 1962

Most, Game

- 11 Rick Redman, vs. Boston, Sept. 6, 1966
- Dennis Partee, at Kansas City, Nov. 10, 1974
- Dennis Partee, vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1975
- Dennis Partee, at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975

Yardage**Most, Career**

- 21,417 Dennis Partee, 1968-75
- 9,889 Paul Maguire, 1960-63
- 9,711 Jeff West, 1976-79

Most, Season

- 3,289 Paul Maguire, 1962

Most, Game

- 492 Dennis Pardee, at Kansas City, Nov. 10, 1974 (1 att.)
- 486 Dennis Pardee, at Denver, Nov. 2, 1969 (10 att.)
- 445 Dennis Pardee, at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975 (11 att.)

Longest Punt

- 82 Paul Maguire, vs. Dal. Texans, Nov. 19, 1961

Average Yardage

Highest, Career

(minimum 100 att.)

- 41.2 Dennis Pardee, 1968-75 (519 att.)
- 40.9 Paul Maguire, 1960-63

Highest, Season

- 44.6 Dennis Pardee, 1969

Highest, Game (minimum 4 att.)

- 51.4 John Hadl, vs. Buffalo, Dec. 26, 1965 (5 att.)
- 50.0 Dennis Pardee, vs. Kansas City, Nov. 29, 1970 (6 att.)
- 49.8 Dennis Pardee, vs. Buffalo, Sept. 23, 1973 (4 att.)
- 49.0 John Hadl, vs. Houston, Oct. 6, 1965 (6 att.)

Punt Returns

Most Seasons Leading League

- 1 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1965

Most, Career

- 212 Mike Fuller, 1975-80
- 138 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70

Most, Season

- 46 Mike Fuller, 1979
- 39 Mike Fuller, 1978
- 36 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1967
- Mike Fuller, 1975

Most, Game

- 8 Mike Fuller, at Tampa Bay, Sept. 19, 1976
- 7 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. Miami, Nov. 12, 1967
- Mike Fuller, at Buffalo, Nov. 21, 1976
- Johnny Rodgers, at Kansas City, Sept. 25, 1977
- Mike Fuller, at Houston, Dec. 17, 1978

Most Fair Catches, Season

- 24 Kenny Graham, 1969

Most Fair Catches, Game

- 5 Kenny Graham, vs. Cincinnati, Oct. 4, 1969

Fewest Fair Catches, Season

- 0 Mike Fuller, 1975 (36 ret.)
- 1 Mike Fuller, 1976 (33 ret.)

Yardage

Most Seasons Leading League

- 1 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1965

Most, Career

- 2,386 Mike Fuller, 1975-80
- 1,651 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70
- 355 Lance Alworth, 1962-65

Most, Season

- 464 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1965
- 448 Mike Fuller, 1979
- 436 Mike Fuller, 1976, 1978
- 434 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1967

Most, Game

- 136 Mike Fuller, at Buffalo, Nov. 21, 1976
- 131 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. Kansas City, Sept. 26, 1965
- 130 Johnny Rodgers, at Kansas City, Sept. 25, 1977

Longest Return

- 95 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 24, 1968 (TD)

Average Yardage

Most Seasons Leading League

- 2 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1965-66

Highest, Career (minimum 75 ret.)

- 12.3 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70
- 11.3 Mike Fuller, 1975-80

Highest, Season

- 15.5 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1965 (30 ret.)

Touchdowns

Most, Career

- 4 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70
- 2 Ron Smith, 1973
- Mike Fuller, 1975-80

Most, Season

- 2 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1965
- Ron Smith, 1973

Most, Game

- 1 10 Times (Last: Wes Chandler, at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982, 56 yds., OT*)

Kickoff Returns

Most, Career

- 134 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70
- 88 Artie Owens, 1976-79
- 77 Mike Fuller, 1975-80
- 51 Paul Lowe, 1960-67

Most, Season

- 40 James Brooks, 1981
- 36 Ron Smith, 1973
- 35 Artie Owens, 1979
- 32 Jerry Robinson, 1962

Most, Game

- 6 Many Times (Last: James Brooks, vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981)

Yardage

Most Yards, Career

- 3,386 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70
- 1,998 Artie Owens, 1976-79
- 1,658 Mike Fuller, 1975-80
- 1,037 Paul Lowe, 1960-67

Most, Season

- 949 James Brooks, 1981
- 947 Ron Smith, 1973
- 791 Artie Owens, 1979
- 746 Jerry Robinson, 1962

Longest Return

- 103 Keith Lincoln, vs. N.Y. Titans, Sept. 16, 1962 (TD)

Average Yardage

Highest, Career

(minimum 75 ret.)

- 25.2 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70
- 22.7 Artie Owens, 1976-79
- 21.5 Mike Fuller, 1975-80

Highest Season

- 28.4 Keith Lincoln, 1962 (14 ret.)

Touchdowns

Most, Career

- 1 Keith Lincoln, 1962

Most, Season

- 1 Keith Lincoln, 1962

Most, Game

- 1 Keith Lincoln, vs. N.Y. Titans, Sept. 16, 1962 (103 yds.)

Combined Kick Returns

Most, Career

- 289 Mike Fuller, 1975-80 (212 P, 77 K)
- 272 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70 (138 P, 134 K)

Most, Season

- 67 Mike Fuller, 1975 (36 P, 31 K)

Yardage

Most, Career

- 5,037 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, 1964-70
- 4,044 Mike Fuller, 1975-80

Most, Game

- 282 Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 24, 1968 (102 P, 180 K)

Team Records

(asterisk indicates playoff or championship)

Games Won

Most, Season

12 1961, 1979

Fewest, Season

2 1973, 1975

Most Consecutive

15 Nov. 27, 1960-Dec. 3, 1961

Most Consecutive at Home

10 Nov. 13, 1960-Dec. 17, 1961

Most Consecutive on Road

11 Oct. 2, 1960-Nov. 12, 1961

Most Consecutive at Start of Season

11 Sept. 10, 1961-Nov. 19, 1961

Games Lost

Most, Season

12 1975

Fewest, Season

2 1961

Most Consecutive

11 Sept. 21, 1975-Nov. 30, 1975

Most Consecutive at Home

6 Sept. 21, 1975-Nov. 16, 1975

Most Consecutive on Road

8 Oct. 3, 1971-Sept. 17, 1972

Nov. 17, 1974-Nov. 30, 1975

Most Consecutive on Road

Without Victory, including Ties

14 Nov. 22, 1970-Nov. 19, 1972

Scoring

Most Points, Season

418 1980

411 1979

399 1963

396 1961

Most Points, Game

58 vs. Denver, Dec. 22, 1963

55 vs. Denver, Oct. 20, 1968

at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981

53 at N.Y. Jets, Nov. 2, 1963

52 vs. Oakland, Nov. 27, 1960

*51 vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964

50 vs. N.Y. Titans, Dec. 18, 1960

Most Points, Game, Both Teams

93 Los Angeles (50), N.Y. Titans

(43), Dec. 18, 1960

84 San Diego (34), at Denver (50),

Oct. 6, 1963

82 San Diego (33), at Houston

(49), Dec. 19, 1971

Most Points, Quarter

28 vs. Houston, Sept. 24, 1961

vs. N.Y. Titans, Nov. 5, 1961

at Kansas City, Nov. 15, 1964

Most Points, Quarter, Both Teams

38 San Diego (24), at Boston (14),

Oct. 7, 1961 (2Q)

San Diego (14), at Denver (24),

Oct. 6, 1963 (2Q)

Fewest Points, Season

178 1961

188 1973

189 1975

Fewest Points, Game

0 20 Times (Last: 0-7, at Denver,

Oct. 7, 1979)

Most Consecutive Games

Not Shutout

105 Sept. 7, 1962-Nov. 2, 1969

Touchdowns

Most, Season

61 1981

52 1961, 1979

50 1963, 1980

Most, Game

8 at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981

7 6 Times (Last: vs. N.Y. Jets,

Oct. 31, 1971)

Fewest, Season

22 1973, 1975

25 1977

28 1974

Points After Touchdown

Most, Season

55 1981

51 1961

Most, Game

7 7 Times (Last: at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981)

Fewest, Season

20 1973

Field Goals

Most Attempts, Season

32 1968

Most Attempts, Game

7 at N.Y. Jets, Oct. 8, 1966

6 at Tampa Bay, Sept. 19, 1978

Most Attempts, Game, Both Teams

10 San Diego (3), at Boston (7),

Sept. 30, 1964

Kansas City (5), at San Diego

(5), Oct. 26, 1972

Most, Season

24 1980

Most, Game

4 vs. Oakland, Dec. 15, 1968

4 vs. New England, Nov. 9, 1975

4 at Seattle, Sept. 2, 1979

4 at Cincinnati, Nov. 11, 1979

4 vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 22, 1980

Most, Game, Both Teams

8 New England (4), San Diego

(4), Nov. 9, 1975

Fewest, Season

6 1974

10 1976

First Downs

Most, Season

379 1981

372 1980

330 1979

315 1978

Most, Game

33 *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)

32 at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981

31 vs. Oakland, Nov. 27, 1960

at New Orleans, Dec. 9, 1979

vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980

30 vs. Kansas City, Nov. 25, 1979

vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980

(OT)

at Oakland, Oct. 12, 1980

vs. Kansas City, Nov. 16, 1980

Most, Game, Both Teams

58 *San Diego (33), at Miami (25)

Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)

Fewest, Season

198 1973, 1975

208 1961

217 1962

Fewest, Game

3 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975

5 vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1970

7 vs. Houston, Sept. 24, 1961

vs. Boston, Dec. 17, 1961

at Oakland, Sept. 18, 1977

Most, Rushing, Season

127 1981

125 1965

123 1972

Most, Rushing, Game

19 vs. Oakland, Nov. 27, 1960

18 vs. Houston, Oct. 3, 1965

Fewest, Rushing, Game

1 at Cincinnati, Nov. 28, 1971

at Pittsburgh, Oct. 31, 1976

2 19 Times (Last: at Denver, Nov.

14, 1976)

Most, Passing, Season

244 1980

224 1981

192 1979

171 1978

164 1968

Most, Passing, Game

23 vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980

22 vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980

(OT)

21 at Denver, Dec. 1, 1968

*at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)

20 vs. Kansas City, Nov. 25, 1979

19 at N.Y. Jets, Nov. 2, 1963

vs. Denver, Nov. 9, 1980

Fewest, Passing, Season

89 1975

93 1973

110 1961

Fewest, Passing, Game

- 1 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975 (OT)
- 2 at New England, Dec. 2, 1973
vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1975
- 3 6 Times (Last: vs. Oakland,
Nov. 20, 1977

Net Yards Gained

Most, Season

- 6,744 1981
- 6,410 1980
- 5,583 1979
- 5,471 1978
- 5,388 1968

Most, Game

- *610 vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964 (318
R, 292 P)
- 581 vs. Denver, Oct. 20, 1968 (211
R, 370 P)
- 567 vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980
(111 R, 456 P)
- 564 *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (149 R,
415 P) (OT)
- 554 vs. Cincinnati, Sept. 6, 1968
(229 R, 325 P)
- 547 vs. Buffalo, Dec. 14, 1969
- 539 vs. Oakland, Nov. 27, 1960

500 Yards Total Offense

- 11 Times (Last: *at Miami, Jan. 2,
1982 (OT)

Most, Game, Both Teams

- 1,057 San Diego (581), vs. Denver
(476), Oct. 20, 1968

Fewest, Season

- 3,411 1975
- 3,622 1973
- 3,953 1970

Fewest, Game

- 56 vs. Pittsburgh, Dec. 17, 1972
- 70 at Denver, Nov. 2, 1969

Most Total Offense Plays, Season

- 1,135 1980
- 1,129 1981
- 1,099 1978
- 1,053 1979

Fewest Total Offense Plays, Season

- 753 1963
- 759 1964

Rushing

Most Attempts, Season

- 590 1978
- 509 1980
- 508 1974
- 504 1972

Most Attempts, Game

- 58 vs. Oakland, Nov. 20, 1977
- 53 vs. Oakland, Nov. 27, 1960
vs. Oakland, Dec. 3, 1972
vs. Oakland, Sept. 10, 1978
- 50 at Oakland, Nov. 1, 1972
vs. Kansas City, Nov. 12, 1978

Fewest, Season

- 361 1966
- 391 1961

Most Yards, Season

- 2,201 1963
- 2,111 1974
- 2,096 1978

Most Yards, Game

- *318 vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964
- 287 vs. N.Y. Jets, Oct. 13, 1963
- 272 vs. Denver, Oct. 18, 1964
- 267 at Kansas City, Sept. 12, 1976
- 263 vs. Oakland, Nov. 20, 1977

Fewest Yards, Game

- 11 vs. Buffalo, Nov. 20, 1960
- 3 vs. Dal. Texans, Nov. 19, 1961

Most Touchdowns, Season

- 26 1981
- 25 1979
- 24 1960, 1961

Most Touchdowns, Game

- 5 vs. Oakland, Sept. 17, 1961 at
Oakland (S.F.), Oct. 22, 1961

Most Touchdowns Allowed, Game

- 5 at Houston, Sept. 18, 1960
vs. Atlanta, Oct. 21, 1973
- 4 6 Times (Last: vs. Buffalo, Dec.
6, 1981)

Fewest Touchdowns, Season

- 9 1966, 1970
- 10 1977

Average Yardage

Highest, Season

- 5.56 1963 (395 att.)

Highest Average, Game

- *9.94 vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964 (32
att., 318 yds.)

Passing

Most Attempts, Season

- 629 1981
- 594 1980
- 541 1979
- 477 1978
- 462 1968

Most Attempts, Game

- 54 *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
- 53 vs. Oakland, Dec. 15, 1968
- 52 vs. Oakland, Oct. 26, 1968

Fewest Attempts, Season

- 337 1975
- 349 1974
- 358 1963

Fewest Attempts, Game

- 13 at Oakland, Nov. 1, 1972
vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1975
vs. Oakland, Nov. 20, 1977
- 15 at Buffalo, Oct. 2, 1960

Most Completions, Season

- 368 1981
- 350 1980
- 338 1979
- 271 1978
- 244 1971

Most Completions, Game

- 33 at Tampa Bay, Dec. 13, 1981
- *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
- 30 vs. Seattle, Oct. 4, 1981
at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
- 29 vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980
vs. Denver, Nov. 9, 1980
- 28 vs. Seattle, Oct. 14, 1979
at Kansas City, Nov. 4, 1979
vs. Atlanta, Dec. 2, 1979
vs. Seattle, Dec. 1980

Fewest Completions, Game

- 3 vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1975
- 5 vs. Oakland, Nov. 20, 1977
- 6 vs. N.Y. Titans, Sept. 16, 1962
at Boston, Nov. 10, 1968

Most Net Yards Gained, Season

- 4,739 1981
- 4,531 1980
- 3,915 1979
- 3,623 1968
- 3,410 1967

Most Net Yards Gained, Game

- 456 vs. N.Y. Giants, Oct. 19, 1980
- 415 *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
- 372 vs. Oakland, Sept. 14, 1980
- 371 at N.Y. Jets, Nov. 2, 1963
- 370 vs. Denver, Oct. 20, 1968
- 368 at Houston, Dec. 17, 1968

Fewest Net Yards Gained, Season

- 1,610 1975
- 1,808 1973
- 2,244 1977

Fewest Net Yards Gained, Game

- 22 vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1975
- 7 at Washington, Sept. 16, 1973

Most Touchdowns, Season

- 34 1981
- 30 1980
- 29 1968

Fewest Touchdowns, Season

- 7 1975
- 9 1973
- 11 1977

Most Touchdowns, Game

- 7 at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
- 5 5 Times (Last: vs. Denver, Dec.
12, 1971)

Most Had Intercepted, Season

- 34 1962
- 33 1968

Most Had Intercepted, Game

- 7 vs. Kansas City, Dec. 8, 1968
- 6 4 Times (Last: at Cincinnati,
Nov. 28, 1971)

Fewest Had Intercepted, Season

- 15 1966
- 17 1975, 1981
- 18 1976

Tackled Attempting to Pass

Fewest Times, Season

11 1967

Most Times Tackled Opponent, Season

60 1980

54 1978

47 1981

46 1961

44 1977

42 1962, 1979

Most Times Tackled Opponent, Game

10 vs. Green Bay, Sept. 24, 1978

8 at Oakland, Sept. 30, 1962
at New Orleans, Oct. 9, 1977

Punting

Most, Season

82 1976

79 1962, 1975

76 1974

Most, Game

11 vs. Oakland, Oct. 5, 1975

at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975

at Kansas City, Nov. 10, 1974

vs. Boston, Sept. 6, 1966

Fewest Punts, Season

45 1972

55 1971

Fewest Punts, Game

0 vs. Kansas City, Oct. 29, 1979

vs. Cleveland, Dec. 4, 1977

Fewest Punts, Both Teams, Game

2 San Diego (0), vs. Cleveland
(2), Dec. 4, 1977

Most Yards, Season

3,289 1962

3,176 1976

3,169 1969

Most Yards, Game

492 at Kansas City, Nov. 10, 1974

486 at Denver, Nov. 2, 1969

445 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975

Fewest Yards, Season

1,813 1972

2,281 1968

Highest Average, Season

44.6 1969

Lowest Average, Season

36.5 1979

Punt Returns

Most, Season

57 1978

52 1979

46 1977

Most, Game

8 at Tampa Bay, Sept. 10, 1976

7 vs. Miami, Nov. 12, 1967

vs. Denver, Nov. 14, 1976

at Buffalo, Nov. 21, 1976

at Kansas City, Sept. 25, 1977

Fewest, Season

21 1966

Most Fair Catches, Season

32 1969

Most Fair Catches, Game

5 vs. Cincinnati, Oct. 4, 1969

Fewest Fair Catches, Season

0 1975 (38 ret.)

Most Yards, Season

590 1978

521 1977

508 1965

Most Yards, Game

151 vs. Kansas City, Sept. 20, 1965

139 vs. N.Y. Titans, Nov. 5, 1961

136 at Buffalo, Nov. 21, 1976

Fewest Yards, Season

173 1970

185 1972

Highest Average, Season

15.1 1961

13.4 1965

Lowest Average, Season

5.6 1970

5.8 1971

Most Touchdowns, Season

2 1965, 1973

Most Touchdowns, Game

*1 10 Times (Last; *at Miami, Jan.
2, 1982)

Kickoff Returns

Most, Season

70 1973, 1981

69 1975

Most, Game

9 vs. Denver, Dec. 9, 1973

vs. Kansas City, Dec. 13, 1964

at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981

8 vs. Buffalo, Nov. 11, 1962

vs. Atlanta, Oct. 21, 1973

at Oakland, Oct. 25, 1979

at Washington, Dec. 7, 1980

vs. Cincinnati, Nov. 8, 1981

Most, Game, Both Teams

16 Los Angeles (6), vs. N.Y. Titans-
(10), Dec. 18, 1960

Most Yards, Season

1,597 1973

1,583 1962

1,482 1975

Most Yards, Game

242 vs. Atlanta, Oct. 21, 1973

232 vs. Kansas City, Dec. 13, 1964

198 at Denver, Oct. 6, 1963

vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 24, 1968

Fewest Yards, Season

642 1961

734 1977

813 1970

Highest Average, Season

24.4 1964

Lowest Average, Season

16.5 1961

Most Touchdowns, Season

1 1962

Most Touchdowns, Game

1 vs. N.Y. Titans, Sept. 16, 1962

Penalties

Most Seasons Leading League

3 1962, 1964, 1965

Most, Season

126 1981

109 1980

108 1979

98 1978

97 1977

Most, Game

14 vs. New England, Nov. 9, 1975

vs. Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979

13 at Pittsburgh, Oct. 7, 1973

at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981

12 at Oakland, Sept. 18, 1977

at Denver, Sept. 21, 1980

at Cincinnati, Nov. 2, 1980

Fewest, Season

63 1969

68 1966

Fewest, Game

0 at Houston, Dec. 3, 1962

at Boston, Oct. 19, 1969

vs. Kansas City, Nov. 4, 1973

at Cincinnati, Dec. 21, 1975

Most Yards, Season

947 1981

929 1965

912 1980

908 1979

895 1971

Most Yards, Game

149 vs. N.Y. Jets, Oct. 13, 1963

138 at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981

134 vs. Dal. Texans, Oct. 7, 1962

Most First Downs By, Season

31 1971

29 1970

28 1978, 1981

Most First Downs By, Game

6 at Oakland, Nov. 16, 1969

5 4 Times (Last; vs. Buffalo, Dec.
6, 1981)

Fewest First Downs By, Season

11 1975

12 1964, 1965

Fewest First Downs Allowed By, Season

13 1969

Most First Downs Allowed By, Game

6 at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981

5 at Denver, Nov. 12, 1961

vs. New England, Nov. 9, 1975

at Los Angeles, Oct. 21, 1979

Fumbles

Most, Season

40 1972, 1980
38 1981
37 1978
33 1975

Most, Game

9 vs. Green Bay, Sept. 24, 1978
7 vs. Cincinnati, Sept. 30, 1973
6 3 Times (Last: vs. Kansas City,
Nov. 1, 1981)

Most by Opponent, Game

9 at Kansas City, Nov. 15, 1964

Most, Game, Both Teams

13 San Diego (4), at Kansas City
(9), Nov. 13, 1964

Fewest Fumbles, Season

16 1963

Most Total Recovered, Season

38 1979
37 1980
35 1981
32 1978
31 1960

Most Total Recovered, Game

6 vs. Kansas City, Nov. 1, 1981
5 vs. Boston, Sept. 20, 1964
at Kansas City, Nov. 19, 1972

Fewest Total Recovered, Season

11 1977
14 1975
18 1966

Most Own Recovered, Season

20 1972, 1973, 1979
18 1977, 1980
17 1981
16 1978

Most Own Recovered, Game

6 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1979
4 3 Times (Last: vs. Seattle, Oct.
4, 1981)

Fewest Own Recovered, Season

4 1963
8 1968

Most Opponents Recovered, Season

19 1979, 1980
18 1973, 1981
17 1961

Most Opponents Recovered, Game

4 at N.Y. Jets, Oct. 23, 1966

Fewest Opponents Recovered, Season

6 1969
8 1966

Points Allowed

Fewest, Season

205 1977
219 1961
227 1965

Fewest, Game

0 10 Times (Last: 35-0, at New
Orleans, Dec. 9, 1979)

Most, Season

392 1962
390 1981
386 1973
352 1967

Most, Game

51 at Oakland, Oct. 29, 1967
50 at Denver, Oct. 6, 1963
49 vs. Kansas City, Dec. 13, 1964
at Houston, Dec. 19, 1971

Most, Quarter

31 at Oakland, Dec. 8, 1963 (4Q)
28 at Houston, Dec. 19, 1971 (3Q)
27 at Cincinnati, Dec. 21, 1975
(1Q)
24 at Denver, Oct. 6, 1963 (2Q)
at Seattle, Nov. 16, 1981 (2Q)

First Downs Allowed

Fewest, Season

190 1965
224 1962

Fewest, Game

5 at Tampa Bay, Sept. 19, 1976
6 at Oakland (S.F.), Oct. 22, 1961
7 at Buffalo, Nov. 17, 1968
vs. Chicago, Dec. 4, 1978

Most, Season

365 1981
312 1975
284 1980
273 1978

Most, Game

29 5 Times (Last: vs. Cincinnati,
Nov. 8, 1981)
28 3 Times (Last: at Chicago, Oct.
25, 1981, OT)

Fewest by Rushing, Season

55 1965
71 1969

Fewest by Rushing, Game

0 at Houston, Nov. 13, 1960
1 6 Times (Last: at Seattle, Sept.
7, 1980)

Most by Rushing, Season

154 1975
143 1971
128 1974

Most by Rushing, Game

19 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975
15 at Houston, Sept. 28, 1975
vs. Oakland, Nov. 20, 1977
at Detroit, Oct. 22, 1978

Fewest by Passing, Season

105 1977
114 1971
116 1965

Fewest by Passing, Game

2 vs. Houston, Sept. 21, 1968
vs. Cincinnati, Dec. 6, 1970
at Denver, Oct. 17, 1971
vs. Chicago, Dec. 4, 1978
at Denver, Oct. 7, 1979

Most by Passing, Season

216 1981
156 1980
148 1967, 1969
146 1964

Most by Passing, Game

22 at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981
21 *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
19 at Denver, Sept. 7, 1962
18 vs. N.Y. Jets, Sept. 28, 1969
vs. Denver, Nov. 23, 1969

Net Yards Allowed

Fewest, Season

3,276 1965
3,652 1977
3,718 1961

Fewest, Game

58 at Oakland (S.F.), Oct. 22, 1961
112 vs. Chicago, Dec. 4, 1978
113 vs. N.Y. Jets, Dec. 6, 1964

Most, Season

6,136 1981
4,952 1975
4,830 1974
4,706 1967

Most, Game

526 vs. Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981
510 vs. N.Y. Jets, Nov. 24, 1968
505 at Denver, Sept. 7, 1962

Rushing Allowed

Fewest Attempts, Season

306 1965
366 1969

Fewest Attempts, Game

11 vs. Denver, Nov. 23, 1969
13 at Buffalo, Oct. 1, 1967

Most Attempts, Season

606 1975
559 1973
516 1976

Most Attempts, Game

61 at Chicago, Oct. 25, 1981 (OT)
60 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975
59 at Oakland, Sept. 18, 1977
56 at Houston, Sept. 28, 1975

Fewest Yards, Season

1,094 1965
1,357 1961

Fewest Yards, Game

2 at Oakland (S.F.), Oct. 22, 1961
17 at Boston, Oct. 28, 1960

Most Yards, Season

2,442 1975
2,389 1966

Most Yards, Game

328 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975
303 at Buffalo, Oct. 13, 1962
294 vs. Kansas City, Dec. 18, 1966

Fewest Touchdowns, Rushing, Season

7 1961, 1965
10 1963, 1964, 1976

Most Touchdowns, Rushing, Season

25 1971, 1981

Passing Allowed

Fewest Attempts, Season

330 1977

Fewest Attempts, Game

7 at Detroit, Nov. 6, 1977
12 at Buffalo, Oct. 13, 1962
at Denver, Dec. 10, 1972

Most Attempts, Season

571 1981
519 1980

Most Attempts, Game

57 at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981
55 at Houston, Sept. 18, 1960
vs. Houston, Sept. 24, 1961
51 vs. N.Y. Jets, Sept. 28, 1969

Fewest Completions, Season

169 1966
172 1977

Fewest Completions, Game

3 at Tampa Bay, Sept. 19, 1978
5 at Buffalo, Oct. 13, 1962
at Detroit, Nov. 6, 1977
vs. Chicago, Dec. 4, 1978

Most Completions, Season

313 1981
300 1980
261 1979
241 1969
238 1964

Most Completions, Game

31 vs. Houston, Nov. 13, 1960
at Cleveland, Sept. 7, 1981
30 *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
29 at Denver, Sept. 7, 1962
vs. N.Y. Jets, Sept. 28, 1969

Fewest Net Yards, Season

1,725 1977
2,160 1966

Fewest Net Yards, Game

0 vs. Cincinnati, Dec. 6, 1970
4 at Tampa Bay, Sept. 19, 1976
8 at Denver, Nov. 30, 1975
9 vs. Green Bay, Sept. 24, 1978

Most Net Yards, Season

4,311 1981
3,152 1967
2,849 1980
2,795 1969

Most Net Yards, Game

433 vs. Minnesota, Oct. 11, 1981
388 *at Miami, Jan. 2, 1982 (OT)
384 at Denver, Sept. 7, 1962
375 at N.Y. Titans, Oct. 28, 1962

Fewest Touchdowns, Season

11 1979
13 1966, 1970, 1974

Most Touchdowns, Season

29 1962

Most Touchdowns, Game

6 vs. Oakland, Oct. 27, 1963
4 Many Times (Last: *at Miami,
Jan. 2, 1982 (OT))

Interceptions By

Most, Season

49 1961 (NFL Record)
31 1967

Most, Game

6 5 Times (Last: at Denver, Nov.
30, 1975)

Most, Game, Both Teams

*10 Houston (4), at San Diego (6),
Dec. 24, 1961

Fewest, Season

9 1970
13 1967

Most Yards Returned, Season

929 1961 (NFL Record)
562 1979
487 1964

Most Yards Returned, Game

194 vs. Houston, Sept. 24, 1961
174 vs. Denver, Oct. 29, 1961
171 vs. Pittsburgh, Nov. 18, 1979

Fewest Yards Returned, Season

90 1970
185 1976
191 1978

Most Touchdowns by Returns, Season

9 1961 (NFL Record)
3 1966, 1969

Most Touchdowns by Returns, Game

2 vs. Denver, Oct. 29, 1961

Most Consecutive Games

46 1960-63 (NFL Record)

Punt Returns

Fewest by Opponents, Season

16 1968
22 1963

Most by Opponents, Season

48 1975

Most Yards by Opponents, Season

601 1976
508 1965

Most Yards by Opponent, Game

151 vs. Kansas City, Sept. 26, 1965
139 vs. N.Y. Titans, Nov. 5, 1961

Kickoff Returns

Fewest by Opponent, Season

35 1973
36 1961, 1974

Most by Opponent, Season

88 1981
76 1980
72 1979
69 1978
67 1967

Most by Opponent, Game

*9 vs. Boston, Jan. 5, 1964
at Oakland, Nov. 22, 1981
8 8 Times (Last: at Baltimore,
Oct. 18, 1981)



Brooks set records for kickoff returns and yardage in 1981.

Chris Cotter

Draft History



EARL FAISON
1961



GARY JOHNSON
1975



KELLEN WINSLOW
1979

(1982 Choices on Pages 78-80)

1981 (Drafted twenty-fourth) Held April 28-29

1. James Brooks, RB-KR, Auburn (24).
2. Choice to New Orleans for RB Chuck Muncie, Sept. 28, 1980.
3. Irvin Phillips, CB, Arkansas Tech (77).
4. Amos Lawrence, RB, North Carolina (103).
Eric Sievers, TE, Maryland (107), from Cleveland for LB Don Goode Aug. 26, 1980.
5. Keith Ferguson, LB, Ohio State (131).
6. Drew Gissinger, T, Syracuse (141), from New York Giants for RB Bo Matthews Aug. 14, 1980.
Bobby Duckworth, WR, Arkansas (162).
7. Pete Holohan, TE, Notre Dame (189).
8. Choice to New Orleans for P Rick Partridge Aug. 31, 1980.
9. Billy Mullins, WR, Southern California (243), exercised in Supplemental Draft July 17, 1980.
10. Robert Parham, FB, Grambling (268).
11. Matt Petzelka, T, Iowa (280), from New York Giants for QB Cliff Olander Sept. 1, 1980.
Carlos Bradley, LB, Wake Forest (300).
12. Stacy Charles, WR, Bethune-Cookman (327).

1980 (Drafted twenty-sixth) Held April 29-30

1. Choice to Green Bay for CB Willie Buchanan, April 26, 1979.
2. Choice to Los Angeles for TE Bob Klein, August 1977.
3. Choice to St. Louis for head coach Don Coryell, September 25, 1978.
4. Ed Luther, QB, San Jose State (101), from Tampa Bay for T Booker Brown August 15, 1978.
Bob Gregor, DB, Washington State (108).
5. Choice to Washington for RB Mike Thomas, May 18, 1979.

6. La Rue Harrington, RB, Norfolk State, Va. (151), from Cleveland for RB Rickey Anderson, August 10, 1979.
Wayne Hamilton, LB, Alabama (163).
7. Chuck Loewen, G, South Dakota State (175), from Buffalo for QB Bill Munson, August 18, 1979.
Stuart Dodds, P, Montana State (191).
8. Curtis Sirmones, RB, North Alabama (219).
9. Steve Whitman, RB, Alabama (247).
10. Choice to Tampa Bay for RB Charlie White, May 31, 1979.
11. John Singleton, DE, Texas-El Paso (303).
12. Harry Price, WR, McNeese State, La. (331).

1979 (Drafted alternately 20-19-18-17-21) Held May 3-4

1. Kellen Winslow, TE, Missouri (13), from Cleveland May 3, 1979.
Choice to Cleveland as part of Winslow acquisition.
2. Choice to Cleveland as part of Winslow acquisition.
3. Cliff Thrift, MLB, East Central Oklahoma (73).
4. Choice to Los Angeles for QB James Harris June 14, 1977.
John Floyd, WR, NE Louisiana (104) from Houston for QB Neal Jeffrey, Aug. 5, 1977.
5. Choice to Baltimore for RB Lydell Mitchell, Aug. 28, 1978.
6. Choice to Pittsburgh for FS Glen Edwards Aug. 22, 1978.
7. Choice to Green Bay for CB Willie Buchanan April 26, 1979.
8. Wilburt Haslip, RB, Hawaii (210).
9. Alvin Garrett, WR, Angelo State, Tex. (237).
10. Tony Petruccio, DT, Penn State (265), from Philadelphia for MLB Tom Graham April 27, 1978.
Al Green, DB, Louisiana State (269).
11. Dave Rader, QB, Tulsa (295).
12. Frank Duncan, DB, San Francisco State (321).

1979 (Drafted alternately 14-13-15)
Held May 2-3

1. John Jefferson, WR, Arizona State (14)
2. Milton Hardaway, T, Oklahoma State (41)
3. Rickey Anderson, RB, South Carolina State (71)
4. Choice to St. Louis for FS Clarence Duren June 24, 1977
5. Choice to Detroit for MLB Jim Laslavic May 3, 1979
John Choma, G, Virginia (135) from Los Angeles
6. Choice to Detroit as part of Laslavic acquisition
7. Cliff Featherstone, CB, Colorado State (180)
8. Choice to Oakland for Oakland's eighth-round pick May 3, 1978
Gavin Hedrick, P, Washington State (200), from Oakland for San Diego's eighth-round pick May 3, 1978
9. Henry Bradley, DT, Alcorn State, Miss. (237)
Blake Whillatch, LB, Louisiana State, (248), from Oakland for San Diego's ninth-round pick May 3, 1978
10. Charles Price, TE, Cincinnati (264)
11. Choice to Oakland for Oakland's ninth-round pick May 3, 1978
12. Kevin Bell, WR, Lamar, Tex. (321)

1977 (Drafted alternately 14-13-12)
Held May 3-4

1. Choice to Seattle through Dallas for QB Clint Longley Aug. 30, 1976
Bob Rush, C, Memphis State (24), from Dallas as part of Longley acquisition
2. Choice to Seattle through Dallas as part of Longley acquisition
3. Choice to Los Angeles for TE Pat Curran and RB Howard Strickland July 13, 1975
Keith King, S, Colorado State (77), from Washington for DE David (Deacon) Jones April 10, 1974
4. Choice to Houston through Miami for RB Mercury Morris Aug. 25, 1976
5. Clarence Williams, RB, South Carolina (124)
Cliff Olander, P-QB, New Mexico State (128), from Cleveland for option compensation rights of DT Ron East July 16, 1975
6. Dave Lindstrom, DE, Boston University (146), from Atlanta for CB Sam Williams April 8, 1976
Lawrence Barnes, RB, Tennessee State (151)
Pete Shaw, S, Northwestern (152), from Detroit for C Mark Markovich July 22, 1976
7. Ron Bush, CB, USC (181)
8. Choice to Dallas for K Toni Fritsch Sept. 6, 1976

9. Gene Washington, WR, Georgia (234)

10. Curtis Townsend, LB, Arkansas (265)
11. Choice to Cincinnati for WR Chip Myers March 1, 1977
12. Jim Stansik, TE, Eastern Michigan (319)

1976 (Drafted alternately 4-3)
Held April 8-9

1. Joe Washington, RB, Oklahoma (4)
2. Don Macek, G, Boston College (31)
3. Larry Dorsey, WR, Tennessee State (64)
4. Bob Horn, MLB, Oregon State (94)
Ron Singleton, TE, Grambling (113), from Houston through Oakland for DT Dave Rowe Sept. 23, 1975
Arlie Owens, WR, West Virginia (115), from Oakland April 8, 1976, Oakland getting in return the number 4 choice that San Diego acquired from Washington as part of G Walt Sweeney compensation Jan. 29, 1974
5. Choice to Los Angeles for RB Tony Baker Sept. 15, 1975
Woodrow Lowe, LB, Alabama (131), from New England for CB Bob Howard July 3, 1975
6. Choice to Pittsburgh through St. Louis for WR Marlin Briscoe Aug. 22, 1975
7. Choice to Dallas for MLB Ken Hutcherson Sept. 9, 1975
8. Tony DiRienzo, K, Oklahoma (212)
9. Choice to Buffalo for T Halvor Hagen Aug. 10, 1976
Glynn Harrison, RB, Georgia (251), from N.Y. Giants for LB Bruce Bannon July 13, 1975
10. Jeff Perlinger, DE, Michigan (268)
11. Ray Preston, LB, Syracuse (295)
12. Ron Lee, DB, Oregon (322)
13. John Lee, DT, Nebraska (351)
14. Ed Jones, G, Cincinnati (378)
15. Jack Hoffman, DL, Indiana (407)
16. Jack Harrison, G, California (434)
17. Clarence Sanders, LB, Cincinnati (463)

1975 (Drafted alternately 8-7-6)

1. Gary Johnson, DT, Grambling (8)
Mike Williams, CB, Louisiana State (22), from Washington State as part of compensation for RB Duane Thomas July 20, 1973
2. Louie Kelcher, DT, Southern Methodist (30), from Cleveland as part of compensation for LB Bob Babich Sept. 5, 1973
Fred Dean, LB, Louisiana Tech (33)
3. Choice to Green Bay for DT Bob Brown Sept. 5, 1974

- Mike Fuller, DB, Auburn (73)
from Los Angeles through
Chicago for RB Cid Edwards
Jan. 20, 1975
 4. Choice to New England
through Cleveland as part of
compensation for LB Bob
Babich Sept. 5, 1973
Ken Bernich, LB, Auburn (101)
from Oakland as part of com-
pensation for KR Ron Smith
Aug. 15, 1974
 5. Kevin Nosbusch, DT,
Notre Dame (111)
Charles Waddell, TE,
North Carolina (125) from
Washington through Los
Angeles and Buffalo for
DT Dave Costa Sept. 5, 1974
 6. John Carroll, WR,
Oklahoma (134) from
Cleveland for TE James
Thaxton Sept. 24, 1974
Billy Shields, T,
Georgia Tech (136)
 7. Rickey Young, RB,
Jackson State (164)
 8. Choice to Kansas City through
Washington as part of trade
involving DE David (Deacon)
Jones Aug. 12, 1974
Barry Collier, T, Georgia (203)
from Washington as part of
compensation for WR Bill
Malinchak Aug. 27, 1973
Ralph Peirretta, G, Purdue (206)
from Oakland as part of com-
pensation for KR Ron Smith
Aug. 15, 1974
 9. Larry Keller, LB,
Houston (214)
 10. Otis Bradley, DT, USC (242)
 11. Vince Phason, DB,
Arizona (267)
Ike McBee, WR, San Jose State
(284), from Oakland as part of
compensation for
DT Ray Carr, DE Blenda Gay,
T Harold Paul Jan. 29, 1975
 12. Jerry Dahl, LB, North Dakota
State (292)
 13. Pete Demmerle, WR,
Notre Dame (320)
Glen Printers, RB,
Southern California (335),
from Oakland as part of Carr-
Gay-Paul compensation
Jan. 29, 1975
 14. Reggie Barnett, DB,
Notre Dame (345)
 15. John Rousch, G,
Oklahoma (370)
 16. Chip Salvestrini, G, Yankton,
S.D. (398)
 17. Neal Jeffrey, QB, Baylor (423)
- 1974 (Drafted alternately (2-3))**
1. Bo Matthews, RB,
Colorado (2)
Don Goode, LB, Kansas (15),
from Cleveland as part of
compensation for LB Bob
Babich, Sept. 5, 1973
 2. Choice to Minnesota as part
of compensation for
LB Carl Gersbach,
RB Clinton Jones
Sept. 5, 1973
Mark Markovich, C,
Penn State (43), from Buffalo
for S Chuck Detwiler,
TE Lee Thomas
April 10, 1973
3. Choice to Chicago for
KR Ron Smith
April 22, 1973
 4. Harrison Davis, WR,
Virginia (81)
 5. John Teerlink, DT,
Western Illinois (105), from
Houston through Washington
as part of compensation for
G Walt Sweeney
Jan. 29, 1974
Choice to Buffalo for
LB Mike Stratton
Sept. 5, 1973
 6. Jesse Freilas, QB,
San Diego State (133)
 7. Choice to Los Angeles for
RB Jesse Taylor
July 31, 1972
 8. Tom Forrest, G,
Cincinnati (185)
Bon Boatwright, T,
Oklahoma State (206), from
Los Angeles with
RB Jesse Taylor
July 31, 1972
 9. Danny Colbert, DB, Tulsa (210)
 10. John Ketchoyian, LB,
Santa Clara (237)
 11. Dave Grannell, TE,
Arizona State (262)
 12. Sam Williams, DB,
California (289)
 13. Brian Vertefeuille, T,
Idaho State (314)
 14. Greg Bailey, DB, Long Beach
State (341)
 15. Charles Anthony, LB, USC (366)
Greg Meczka, TE,
Bowling Green (386), from
Washington as part of
compensation for
WR Bill Malinchak
Aug. 27, 1973
 16. Neal Skarin, DE,
Arizona State (393)
 17. Charles DeJurnett, DT,
San Jose State (418)
- 1973 (Drafted alternately (6-5-8-7))**
1. Choice to Philadelphia for
MLB Tim Rossovich
July 31, 1972
Johnny Rodgers, WR,
Nebraska (25) from
Washington through Baltimore
for QB Marty Domres (San
Diego also received TE John
Andrews from Baltimore)
Aug. 8, 1972
 2. Choice to Los Angeles as
part of acquisition of DE
Deacon Jones, DT Greg
Wojcik, RB Lee White
Jan. 29, 1972
 3. Choice to Los Angeles as
part of Jones-Wojcik-White
acquisition
Jan. 29, 1972
Dan Fouts, QB, Oregon (64),
from Atlanta through Oakland
for RB Jeff Queen
July 31, 1972
 4. James Thaxton, TE,
Tennessee State (84),
from St. Louis through
Chicago for DE Steve DeLong
July 26, 1972
Choice to Baltimore
as part of acquisition of
DT George Wright
July 31, 1972

5. Choice to Buffalo for DE Cal Snowden
June 19, 1972
Willie McGee, WR-KR, Alcorn A&M, Miss. (123), from Detroit through Washington as part of compensation for KR Leslie (Speedy) Duncan
May 26, 1971
John Knoble, LB, Weber State Utah, (125), from Cleveland for DT George Wright
Sept. 6, 1972
6. Marvin Roberts, C, Michigan State (135)
7. Choice to Miami through New England for LB Ed Philpott
March 27, 1972
8. Choice to Baltimore as part of acquisition of DT George Wright
July 31, 1972
9. Tab Bennett, LB, Illinois (214)
10. Cliff Burnett, DE, Montana (239)
11. Jay Douglas, C, Memphis State (268)
12. Lynn Ahrens, T, Eastern Montana (293)
13. Alfred Reese, RB, Tennessee State (318)
14. Tony Adams, QB, Utah State (343)
15. Gary Parris, TE, Florida State (372)
16. Joe Petty, DB, Arizona State (397)
17. Barry Darrow, T, Montana (422)

**1972 (Drafted alternately
(11-10-9-13-12)
Held Feb. 1-2**

1. Choice to Green Bay for DT Kevin Hardy
June 24, 1971
2. Pete Lazetich, DE, Stanford (36)
3. Bill McClard, K, Arkansas (61)
4. Choice to Miami as part of acquisition of C Carl Mauck
Sept. 8, 1971
5. Jim Bishop, TE, Tennessee Tech (116)
Harry Gooden, DE, Alcorn A&M, Miss. (130), from Dallas for T Tony Liscio Nov. 19, 1971
6. Bruce Ward, G, San Diego State (141)
7. Choice to New England for RB Eddie Ray
Sept. 8, 1971
8. Choice to Baltimore as part of acquisition of DT George Wright
June 31, 1972
9. Fran Schmitz, DT, St. Norbert, Wisc. (221)
10. Lon Kolstad, LB, Whitewater, Wisc. (246)
11. John Turner, TE, Long Beach State (270)
12. Sam Key, LB, Elon, N.C. (295)
13. Andy Selfridge, LB, Virginia (321)
14. John Van Reenen, DE, Washington State (351)
15. Charles Neugent, DB, Tuskegee, Ala. (376)
16. James Shaw, DB, Tulsa (401)
17. Oscar Dragon, RB, Arizona State (423), from Green Bay for C Cal Withrow
March 30, 1971

Bob Tackett, T, Texas-El Paso (426)

**1971 (Drafted thirteenth)
Held Jan. 28-29**

1. Leon Burns, RB, Long Beach State (13)
2. Choice to Kansas City for RB Mike Garrett
Oct. 15, 1970
3. Mike Montgomery, RB, Kansas State (65)
4. Choice to New Orleans for DE Joe Owens
May 3, 1970
5. Bryant Salter, DB, Pittsburgh (115), from Green Bay for TE Jacque MacKinnon
April 28, 1970
Ray White, LB, Syracuse (117)
Phil Asack, DE, Duke (119), from Cincinnati for SS Kenny Graham Aug. 4, 1970
6. Jacob Mayes, RB, Tennessee State (143)
7. Chuck Dicus, WR, Arkansas (169)
8. Leon Van Gorkum, DE, San Diego State (195)
9. John Tanner, TE, Tennessee Tech (221)
10. Gary Nowak, TE, Michigan State (247)
11. Don Pinson, DB, Tennessee State (273)
12. Wesley Garnett, WR, Utah State (299)
13. Sammy Milner, WR, Mississippi State (325)
14. Ed O'Daniel, DE, Texas Southern (351)
15. Eric Humston, LB, Muskingum, Ohio (377)
16. Ed Foote, C, Hawaii (403)
17. Chip Kell, C, Tennessee (429)

**1970 (Drafted alternately (15-16)
Held Jan. 27-28**

1. Walker Gillette, WR, Richmond (15)
2. Tom Williams, DT, California-Davis (42)
3. Choice to Buffalo for WR Richard Trapp
4. Bill Maddox, TE, Syracuse (94)
5. Pettus Farrar, RB, Norfolk State (119)
6. Billy Parks, WR, Long Beach State (146)
7. Jim Fabish, DB, Texas-El Paso (171)
8. Wayne Clark, QB, U.S. International (198)
9. Chris Fletcher, DB, Temple (223)
10. Mac Steen, G, Florida (250)
11. Jack Protz, LB, Syracuse (275)
12. Howard Gravelle, TE, California-Davis (302)
13. Bernard Bradley, DB, Utah State (327)
14. Tyrone Caldwell, DT, South Carolina State (354)
15. Eugene Childs, RB, Texas-El Paso (379)
16. Mike Green, RB, Nebraska (406)
17. David Sanks, G, Louisville (431)

1969 (Drafted eighteenth)

1. Marty Domres, QB, Columbia (9), from Denver
Bob Babich, LB, Miami, Ohio (15)
2. Ron Sayers, RB, Omaha (44)

3. Eugene Ferguson, T, Norfolk State (70)
 4. Choice to Houston
 5. Harry (Skip) Orszulak, FL, Pittsburgh (122)
 6. Terry Swam, FL, Colorado State (147)
 7. Choice to Miami
 8. Craig Colton, FL, Youngstown Ohio (200)
 9. Joe Williams, DB, Southern U., La. (226)
 10. David Arnold, G, Northwest Louisiana (251)
 11. Willie Norwood, TE, Alcorn A&M, Miss. (278)
 12. Jim White, RB, Arkansas AM&N (304)
 13. Mike Simpson, DB, Houston (330)
 14. Bill Ackman, DT, New Mexico State (356)
 15. Charlie Jarvis, RB, Army (382)
 16. Willie Davenport, FL, Southern U., La. (408)
 17. Larry Rentz, DB, Florida (434)
- 1968** (Drafted alternately 18-17)
1. Russ Washington, T, Missouri (4), from Denver
Jim Hill, DB, Texas A&I (18)
 2. Bill Lenkailis, C, Penn State (43)
 3. Choice to Miami
 4. Ken Dyer, FL, Arizona State (100)
 5. William Perry, TE, Kent State (129)
 6. Choice to Cincinnati
 7. Lane Fenner, FL, Florida State (183)
 8. Elliott Gammage, TE, Tennessee (209)
 9. Grundy Harris, RB, Southern U., La. (237)
 10. Choice to Houston
 11. Dennis Partee, K, Southern Methodist (291)
 12. Jeff Queen, LB, Morgan State (317)
 13. Fred Combs, DB, North Carolina State (345)
 14. Jim Campbell, LB, West Texas State (371)
 15. Dan Kramarczyk, T, Dayton (399)
Robert Wells, T, Johnson C. Smith, N.C. (403), from Houston
 16. Dick Farley, DB, Boston University (425)
 17. Dan Andrews, TE, West Texas State (453)
- 1967** (Drafted fourteenth)
1. Ron Billingsley, DT, Wyoming (14)
 2. Ron McCall, LB, Weber State (40)
Bob Howard, CB, San Diego State (48), from Buffalo
 3. Harold Akin, T, Oklahoma State (67)
 4. Dickie Post, HB, Houston (94)
 5. Bernard Erickson, LB, Abilene Christian (121)
 6. Nate Johns, FL, San Diego State (147)
 7. David Conway, K, Texas (173)
 8. John Mills, E, Tennessee (199)
 9. Steve Newell, E, Long Beach State (225)
 10. Torre Ossmo, T, Western Michigan (251)
 11. Carroll Jarvis, HB, Virginia (277)
 12. Choice to Kansas City
 13. Leon Carr, DB, Prairie View, Tex. (329)
 14. Martin Baccaglio, DT, San Jose State (355)
 15. Craig Scoggins, E, San Diego State (381)
 16. Paul Phillips, T, South Carolina (407)
 17. John Gibbs, HB, South Carolina State (433)
- 1966** (Drafted eighth)
Held Nov. 28, 1965
1. Don Davis, T, Los Angeles State (7)
 2. Nick Rassas, HB, Notre Dame (17)
 3. Milt Morin, E, Massachusetts (26)
 4. Charles Brown, HB, Syracuse (35)
 5. Russ Smith, HB, Miami, Fla. (44)
 6. Gary Pettigrew, DE, Stanford (54)
 7. Jim Tolbert, E, Lincoln, Mo. (63)
 8. Doug Buffone, LB, Louisville (72)
 9. Taft Reed, E-DB, Jackson State (81)
 10. Danny Pride, LB, Tennessee A&I (90)
 11. Terry Owens, E, Jacksonville State Ala. (99)
 12. Ray Jones, HB, Los Angeles State (108)
 13. Houston Ridge, DE, San Diego State (117)
 14. Mike London, E, Wisconsin (126)
 15. Shelly Novack, E, Long Beach State (135)
 16. Bill Scott, DB, Idaho (144)
 17. Ron Ogle, DT, Long Beach State (153)
 18. John Travis, HB, San Jose State (162)
 19. Jerome Bell, C, Oklahoma (171)
 20. Bill McDowell, LB, Florida State (180)
- Future Selections**
1. Bob Windsor, E, Kentucky (8)
 2. Diron Talbert, T, Texas (17)
 3. Jeff Staggs, LB, San Diego State (26)
 4. LaVerle Pratt, LB, Idaho (35)
 5. Rhome Nixon, E, Southern U., La. (44)
 6. Joe Beauchamp, E-DB, Iowa State (53)
 7. Brad Hubbert, HB, Arizona (62)
 8. St. Saffold, E, San Jose State (71)
 9. Wayne Page, DB, Clemson (80)
 10. Wayne Becker, T, Montana (89)
 11. Hugh Wright, FB, Adams State (98)
- 1965** (Drafted sixth)
Held Nov. 28, 1964
1. Steve DeLong, G, Tennessee (6)
 2. Roy Jefferson, E, Utah (14)
 3. Allen Brown, E, Mississippi (22)
 4. Steve Tensi, QB, Florida State (30)
 5. Rick Redman, LB, Washington (38)
 6. Will Beasley, FB, North Carolina A&T (46)
 7. Jack Snow, E, Notre Dame (54)

8. Clancy Williams, HB, Washington State (62)
9. Jerry Whelchel, QB, Massachusetts (70)
10. Gene Foster, HB, Arizona State (78)
11. Veran Smith, G, Utah State (86)
12. Jim Allison, FB, San Diego State (94)
13. Bill Ougley, LB, Villanova (102)
14. Don Floyd, E, Florida State (110)
15. Mike Howell, DB, Grambling (118)
16. John Godden, LB, San Diego State (126)
17. Leon Hardy, T, Texas Southern (134)
18. Bobby Evans, T, Texas A&M (142)
19. Braden Beck, K, Stanford (150)
20. Jack Edwards, C, Florida State (158)

Future Selections

1. Gary Garrison, E, San Diego State (6)
2. Larry Martin, T, San Diego State (14)
3. Stan Dzura, T-DE, California (22)
4. Doug Woodlief, LB, Memphis State (30)
5. Jim Weatherwax, T, Los Angeles State (38)
6. Tom Good, LB, Marshall (46)
7. Wayne Waff, E, East Tennessee State (54)
8. Roy Shivers, HB, Utah State (62)
9. Tony Carey, HB, Notre Dame (70)
10. Dave Plump, HB, Fresno State (78)
11. Jeff White, E, Texas Tech (86)
12. Mike Ciccollella, LB, Dayton (94)

1964 (Drafted eighth)

Held Nov. 30, 1963

1. Ted Davis, E, Georgia Tech (8)
2. John Kirby, LB, Nebraska (16)
3. Perry Lee Dunn, DB, Mississippi (24)
4. Dave Parks, E, Texas Tech (32)
5. Pete Goimarac, C, West Virginia (36), from Boston
6. Gary Kirner, T, USC (40)
7. Willie Brown, DB, USC (48)
8. Roger Anderson, T, Virginia Union (51), from New York Jets
9. Pat Batten, FB, Hardin-Simon (56)
10. George Seals, T, Missouri (64)
11. Choice to Oakland
12. Bob Long, E, Wichita (74), from Kansas City
13. Dick Bowman, E, Syracuse (80)
14. Bob Horton, FB, Boston University (88)
15. Ron Carpenter, E, Texas A&M (96)
16. Kenny Graham, HB, Washington State (104)

Future Selections

1. Howard Kindig, C, Los Angeles State (8)
2. Ed Mitchell, T, Southern U. (16)
3. Bob Daugherty, HB, Tulsa (24)
4. John Farris, T, San Diego State (32)
5. Bobby Robinson, G-LB, Mississippi (40)

6. Paul Cercel, C-LB, Pittsburgh (48)
7. Dick Klein, T, Wichita State (56)
8. Allen Robinson, HB, Brigham Young (64)
9. Charles Hinton, C, Mississippi (72)
10. Ron Smith, QB, Richmond (80)
11. Bill Ban Burkelo, HB, Tulsa (88)
12. Tom Lucas, G, Mississippi (96)
13. Frank Kinard, FB, Mississippi (104)

1963 (Drafted second)

Held Dec. 1, 1962

1. Walt Sweeney, E, Syracuse (2)
2. Rufus Guthrie, G, Georgia Tech (10)
3. Dave Robinson, E, Penn State (17), from Oakland
4. Keith Kinderman, HB, Florida State (18)
5. Roy Williams, T, Pacific (26)
6. Larry Glueck, HB, Villanova (34)
7. Pat Emerick, LB, Western Michigan (42)
8. Choice to Denver
9. Gene Heeter, E, West Virginia (58)
10. Steve Barnett, T, Oregon (66)
11. Don Scott, T, Tampa (74)
12. Bob Petrich, T, West Texas State (82)
13. Terry Baker, QB, Oregon State (90)
14. Dick Walton, G, Iowa State (98)
15. *Frank Lasky, T, Florida (106)
16. *Harrison Rosdahl, G, Penn State (107), from New York Titans
17. *Jack Cverko, G, Northwestern (109), from Denver
18. *Mike Fracchia, HB, Alabama (114)
19. *Gene Breen, LB, Virginia Poly (122)
20. *Dick Drummond, HB, George Washington (130)
21. Choice to Oakland
22. Ernest Park, T, McMurry, Tex. (146)
23. *Buddy Soefker, LB, Louisiana State (154)
24. *Dan Points, T, Cincinnati (162)
25. *Roger Gill, HB, Texas Tech (170)
26. *Paul Watters, T, Miami, Ohio (178)
27. Bill Frank, T, Colorado (186)
28. Jerry Jazzanli, T, Arkansas (194)
29. *Ken Dill, C, Mississippi (202)
30. *Harry Butsko, G, Maryland (210)
31. *Steve Berzansky, FB, West Virginia (218)
32. *Herman Hamp, HB, Fresno State (226)

*Future Selections

1962 (Drafted eighth)

1. Bob Ferguson, FB, Ohio State (8)
2. Dick Hudson, T, Memphis State (16)
3. John Hadl, QB, Kansas (24)
4. Bob Hill, T, Notre Dame (31), from Houston
5. Mack Burton, HB, San Jose State (32)
6. Bob Miltner, E, Penn State (34), from Denver
7. John Cornett, T, Rice (40)

6. Roy Winston, G, Louisiana State (42), from Denver
Frank Buncom, LB, USC (48)
 7. Wendell Harris, HB,
Louisiana State (51), from
Dallas
Bob Jackson, FB, New Mexico
State (56)
 8. Jerry Robinson, HB,
Grambling (64)
 9. Tommy Minter, HB, Baylor (72)
 10. Dan Sullivan, T, Boston
College (80)
 11. Irv Bishop, G, Fresno State (88)
 12. Ralph Smith, E, Mississippi (93)
from New York Titans
George Andrie, E, Marquette
(96)
 13. Charles Bryant, E, Ohio
State (104)
*Bert Coan, HB, Kansas (105)
from Oakland
 14. *James Bates, HB, USC (112)
 15. *Fred Moore, T, Memphis
State (120)
 16. *George Gross, T, Auburn (128)
 17. Frank Gardner, T, North
Carolina College (136)
 18. *Denny Biodrowski, E,
Memphis State (144)
 19. *Mike Lird, FB, Notre
Dame (152)
 20. Ron Hermann, QB, Bradley
(160)
 21. *Jesse Williams, E, Fresno
State (168)
 22. *Jim Thibert, E, Toledo (176)
 23. *Dick Farris, G, North Texas
State (184)
 24. Homer Jones, HB, Texas
Southern (192) (voided)
 25. Sam Gruneisen, E, Villanova
(200)
 26. *Mike Woufle, G, Colorado
(208)
 27. *Mel Rideout, QB, Richmond
(216)
 28. *Ben Wilson, FB, USC (224)
*Future selection
- 1961** (Drafted 7-8)
Rounds 1-6 Nov. 23, 1960
Rounds 7-30 Dec. 5, 1960
1. Earl Faison, E, Indiana (7)
 2. Keith Lincoln, HB,
Washington State (16)
 3. Marlin McKeever, E, USC (23)
 4. Jimmy Johnson, HB, UCLA (32)
 5. Bill Kilmer, HB-QB, UCLA (39)
 6. Calvin Bird, HB, Kentucky (46)
from Dallas
Cliff Roberts, T, Illinois (48)
 7. Claude Gibson, HB, North
Carolina State (55)
 8. Charley Johnson, QB, New
Mexico State (64)
 9. Bob Scarpitto, HB, Notre
Dame (71)
 10. Willie Hector, G, College of
Pacific (80)
 11. Greg Larson, C, Minnesota (87)
 12. Hezekiah Braxton, FB,
Virginia Union (96)
 13. Dale Messer, FB, Fresno
State (103)
 14. *Billy Wilson, T, Auburn (112)
 15. Ernie Ladd, T, Grambling (119)
 16. Bud Whitehead, HB, Florida
State (128)
 17. *Reg Carolan, E, Idaho (135)
 18. Ed Dyas, FB, Auburn (144)
 19. Jack Espenship, HB, Florida
(151)
 20. *Mike Lucci, C, Tennessee
(160)
 21. Gene Gaines, HB, UCLA (167)
 22. *John Brown, T, Syracuse (176)
 23. Glenn Bass, HB, East
Carolina (183)
 24. Ben Balme, G, Yale (192)
 25. *Don Coffee, E, Memphis
State (199)
 26. Bill Kinnune, G, Washington
(208)
 27. Luther Hayes, E, USC (215)
 28. Chuck Allen, G, Washington
(224)
 29. Dan Ficca, T, USC (231)
 30. Mike McKeever, G, USC (240)
*Future selections
- 1960**
(First selections to
stock franchises)
Nov. 22, 1959; Dec. 2, 1959
- Monty Stickles, E, Notre Dame (6)
(Remainder alphabetically)
- Ted Aucreman, E, Indiana
Bob Bercich, HB, Michigan State
Barney Berlinger, E, Pennsylvania
Charles Boone, C, Richmond
Bobby Boyd, QB, Oklahoma
Byron Bradfute, T, Southern
Mississippi
Rodney Breedlove, G, Maryland
Tom Budrewicz, T, Brown
James Cameron, C, East Texas
State
Jack Crouthamel, HB, Dartmouth
Pete Davidson, T-G, The Citadel
Floyd Faucette, HB, Georgia Tech
Charles Flowers, FB, Mississippi
Bobby Franklin, QB, Mississippi
Bob Jeter, HB, Iowa
Bill Linder, T, Pittsburgh
Billy Locklin, T, New Mexico State
William Lopasky, G, West Virginia
Paul Maguire, E, The Citadel
Ed McDaniel, E, Oklahoma
Charles Milstead, QB, Texas A&M
Ed Pitts, T, South Carolina
Ed Serieka, FB, Xavier, Ohio
Bob Schlotz, C, Notre Dame
Russ Sloan, E, Missouri
Ron Stehouwer, T, Colorado
Wayne Stewart, G, The Citadel
John Stalte, T, Kansas City
Leonard Wilson, HB, Purdue
Bob Zeman, HB, Wisconsin
- (Second selections to
stock franchises)
Gary Beabout, T-G, Purdue
George Blair, HB, Mississippi
Fran Brixius, T-G, Minnesota
Joe Davis, T-G, The Citadel
Robert DeMarco, T-G, Dayton
Bob Hain, T-G, Iowa
Chuck Janssen, T-G, Tulsa
Gordon Kelley, E, Georgia
Larry Lancaster, G-T, Georgia
Marv Lasater, HB, Texas Christian
Warren Lashua, E, Whitworth,
Wash.
Perry McGriff, E, Florida
Kirk Phares, T-G, South Carolina
Lamar Rawson, HB, Auburn
Ronald Ray, T-G, Howard Payne,
Tex.
Ken Talkington, QB, Texas Tech
John Talley, QB, Northwestern
Bob Waters, HB, Presbyterian, S.C.
Bob Wehking, C, Florida
Larry Womack, HB, Colorado State

All-Time Roster

HEAD COACHES

Sid Gillman	Ohio State	1960-69, 71
Charlie Waller	Georgia	1969-70
Harland Svare	Washington State	1971-73
Ron Waller	Maryland	1973
Tommy Prothro	Duke	1974-78
Don Coryell	Washington	1978-81

ASSISTANT COACHES

Tom Bass, San Jose State	64-67	Howard Mudd, Hillsdale, Mich	74-75
Phil Bengtson, Minnesota	71	Chuck Noll, Dayton	60-65
Mary Braden, Southwest Missouri	81	Jack Pardee, Texas A&M	81
Red Cochran, Wake Forest	70	Ray Perkins, Alabama	78
Max Coley, San Jose State	77	Jim Phillips, Auburn	68-71
Dick Coury, Notre Dame	75	Bum Phillips, S.F. Austin, Tex.	67-71
John Crow, Texas A&M	74-75	Rick Redman, Washington	72-73
Al Davis, Syracuse	61-62	Bob Schnelker, Bowling Green	72-73
Earnel Durden, Oregon State	74-81	Wayne Sevier, San Diego State	79-80
George Dickson, Notre Dame	72-75	Jackie Simpson, Mississippi	67-71, 74-80
Jack Faulkner, Miami, Ohio	61-62	Birt Slater, San Diego State	81
Rudy Feldman, UCLA	74-77	Jerry Smith, Wisconsin	77-81
Joe Gibbs, San Diego State	79-80	Bones Taylor, Arkansas	63
Forrest Gregg, SMU	72-73	Phil Tyne, San Diego State	78-81
Walt Hackett, Whittier	62-66	Bill Walsh, S.J. State	76
Jim Hanifan, California	79	Jim Wagstaff, Idaho State	81
Hal Herring, Auburn	70	Larrye Weaver, Adams State, Col.	77-81
Pat Hodgson, Georgia	78	Chuck Weber, Westchester, Pa.	68-69
Harry Johnston, Nebraska	66-67	Willie Wood, USC	72-74
Dave Levy, UCLA	80-81	Walt Yowarsky, Kentucky	72-73
Lamar Lundy, Purdue	71	Ernie Zampese, USC	76, 79-81
Joe Madro, Ohio State	60-71		
Bobb McKiltrick, Oregon State	74-78		

ACTIVE PLAYERS

Agajanian, Ben, K. N. Mex.	60-61, 64	Brooks, Billy, WR, Oklahoma	81
Aiu, Charles, G. Hawaii	76-78	Brooks, James, RB, Auburn	81
Akin, Harold T., Oklahoma St.	67-68	Brown, Bob, DT, Ark. AM&N	74
Aldridge, Lionel, DE, Utah St.	72-73	Brown, Booker, T, USC	75-77
Allen, Chuck, LB, Washington	61-69	Brueckman, Charlie, LB, Pitt.	60
Allison, Jim, RB, S.D. State	65-68	Bruggers, Bob, LB, Minnesota	68-71
Alworth, Lance, FI, Arkansas	62-70	Buchanon, Willie, DB, S.D. St.	79-81
Anderson, Ralph, TE, L.A. State	78	Buncom, Frank, LB, USC	62-67
Anderson, Rickey, RB, S.C. St.	78	Burns, Leon, RB, L.B. St.	71
Andrews, John, TE, Indiana	72	Burton, Larry, WR, Purdue	78-79
Appleton, Scott, DT, Texas	67-68	Caffey, Lee Roy, LB, Texas A&M	72
Audick, Dan, G, Hawaii	78-80	Campbell, Jim, LB, W. Tex. St.	69
Babich, Bob, LB, Miami, Ohio	70-72	Cappelletti, John, Penn St.	80-81
Baccaglio, Martin, DE, S.J. St.	68	Carolan, Reg, TE, Idaho	62-63
Bacon, Coy, DE, Jackson State, Miss.	73-75	Carr, Levert, T, No. Cent. Ill.	69
Baker, John, LB, Mississippi St.	67	Carpenter, Ron, LB, Tex A&M	64-65
Baker, Mel, WR, Texas Southern	75	Carter, Mike, WR, Sac. St.	72
Bansavage, Al, G, USC	60	Carter, Virgil, QB, BYU	75
Barnes, Ernie, G, N.C. Coll.	60-62	Chandler, Wes, WR, Florida	81
Barnes, Lawrence, RB, Tenn. St.	77-78	Chorovich, Dick, DT, Miami, Ohio	60
Barnes, Pete, LB, Southern La.	70-72	Claphan, Sam, T, Oklahoma	81
Barry, Al, G, USC	60	Clark, Howard, E, Chattanooga	60-61
Bauer, Hank, RB, Cal. Luth.	77-81	Clark, Wayne, QB, USIU	70-72, 76
Beauchamp, Joe, CB, Iowa St.	66-75	Clatterback, Bobby, QB, Houston	60
Beaudoin, Doug, DB, Minnesota	81	Cline, Doug, LB, Clemson	66
Beirne, Jim, WR, Purdue	73-74	Coan, Bert, RB, Kansas	62
Bell, Eddie, WR, Idaho State	76	Colbert, Danny, CB, Tulsa	74-76
Belotti, George, G, USC	61	Cole, Fred, G, Maryland	60
Benirschke, Rolf, K, UC Davis	77-81	Cordill, Ollie, WR, Memphis St.	67
Berry, Reggie, S, L.B. St.	72-74	Costa, Dave, DT, Utah	72-73
Bethune, Bob, DB, Miss. St.	62	Cotton, Craig, TE, Youngstown St.	75
Billingsley, Ron, DT, Wyoming	67-70	Curran, Pat, TE, Lakeland	75-78
Blair, George, DB-K, Miss.	61-64	Davis, Harrison, WR, Virginia	74
Boatright, Bon, DT, Okla. St.	74	Day, Tom, DE, N.C. A&T	67
Bobo, Hubert, LB, Ohio State	60	Dean, Fred, DE, Louisiana Tech	75-81
Botchan, Ron, LB, Occidental	60	Degan, Dick, LB, L.B. St.	65-66
Bradley, Carlos, LB, Wake Forest	81	DeJurnett, Charles, DT, S.J. St.	76-80
Bradley, Chuck, TE, Oregon	75-76	DeLong, Steve, DE, Tennessee	65-71
Braxton, Hezekiah, RB, Va. Union	62	Deluca, Sam, G, South Car	60-61, 63
Breaux, Don, QB, McNeese St.	64-65	Dennis, Al, G, Grambling, La	73
Briggs, Bob, DE, Heidelberg	68-70	Detwiler, Chuck, S, Utah St.	70-72
Briscoe, Marlin, WR, Omaha	75	Dicus, Chuck, WR, Arkansas	71-72
Brittenum, Jon, QB, Arkansas	68	Domres, Marty, QB, Columbia	69-71

Donnell, Ben DE, Vanderbilt	60	Harris, James, QB, Grambling	77-81
Dorsey, Larry, WR, Tenn. St.	76-77	Hayes, Luther SE, USC	61
Douglas, Jay, T, Memphis St.	73-74	Hayes, Tom, CB, San Diego State	76
Douglass, Bobby, QB, Kansas	75	Henderson, Wyatt, DB, Fresno St.	81
Dove, Jerome, DB, Colo. St.	77-80	Henning, Dan, QB, William & Mary	66
Dragon, Oscar, RB, Arizona St.	72	Hill, Jim, S, Texas A&I	69-71
Duncan, Frank, S, S.F. St.	79-81	Hoey, George, DB, Michigan	74
Duncan, Speedy, DB, Jack. St.	64-70	Holiday, Ron, WR, Pittsburgh	73
Dunlap, Leonard, CB,		Holmes, Robert, RB, Southern	73
North Texas State	72-74	Holohan, Pete, TE, Notre Dame	81
Duren, Clarence, S, California	77	Hoopes, Mitch, P, Arizona	76
Dyer, Ken, DB, Arizona St.	68	Horn, Bob, MLB, Oregon St.	76-81
		Horn, Don, QB, San Diego State	74
East, Ron, DT, Montana State	71-73	Horton, Bob, LB, Boston U.	64-65
Eber, Rick, WR, Tulsa	69	Howard, Bob, CB, S.D. St.	67-74
Edwards, Cid, RB, Tenn. St.	72-74	Hubbert, Brad, RB, Arizona	67-70
Edwards, Glen, FS, Fla. A&M	78-81	Hudson, Bill DT, Clemson	61-62
Ellis, Allan, DB, UCLA	81	Hudson, Richard, T, Memphis St.	62
Enis, Hunter, QB, Tex. Christ.	61	Huey, Gene, WR, Wyoming	69
Erickson, Bernard, LB,		Hutcherson, Ken, LB,	
Abilene Christian	67-68	Livingston, Ala.	75
Erlandson, Tom, LB, Wash. St.	68		
Estes, Don, G, Louisiana State	66	Jackson, Bernard, DB,	
		Washington St.	80
Faison, Earl, DE, Indiana	61-66	Jackson, Bob, WR, N.M. St.	62-63
Farley, Dick, DB, Boston U.	68-69	Jafferson, John, WR, Ariz. St.	78-80
Farr, Miller, DB, Wichita St.	65-66	Jeffrey, Neal, QB, Baylor	76
Farris, John, G, S.D. St.	65-66	Johnson, Gary, DT, Grambling	75-81
Fenner, Lane, WR, Florida State	68	Joiner, Charlie, WR, Grambling	76-81
Ferguson, Eugene, T,		Jones, Clint, RB, Michigan State	73
Norfolk State	69-70	Jones, Curtis, G, Missouri	68
Ferguson, Howard, RB, None	60	Jones, David (Deacon), DE,	
Ferguson, Keith, DE, Ohio State	81	S. Carolina St.	72-73
Ferrante, Orlando, G, USC	60-61	Jones, Harris, G, J.C. Smith	71
Fetherston, Jim, LB, California	68-69	Jones, Leroy, DE, Norfolk State	76-81
Finneran, Gary, DT, USC	60	Jones, Ray, CB, Southern U., La.	72
Fitzkee, Scott, WR, Penn State	81		
Flanagan, Ed, C, Purdue	75-76	Karas, Emil, LB, Dayton	60-64, 66
Fletcher, Chris, S, Temple	70-76	Keckin, Val, QB, So. Miss.	62
Flowers, Charlie, RB, Miss.	60-61	Kelcher, Louie, DT, SMU	75-81
Floyd, John, WR, N.E. La.	79-80	Kemp, Jack, QB, Occidental	60-62
Ford, Fred, RB, Cal Poly, (SLO)	60	Kempinski, Charles, G, Miss.	60
Forsberg, Fred, LB, Washington	74	Kinderman, Keith, RB, Fla. St.	63-64
Foster, Gene, RB, Arizona St.	65-70	Kindig, Howard, DE, L.A. St.	65-67
Fouts, Dan, QB, Oregon	73-81	King, Linden, LB, Colo. St.	78-81
Frazier, Wayne, C, Auburn	62	Kirner, Gary, T, USC	64-69
Frazier, Willie, TE, Ark. AM&N	66-70	Klein, Bob, TE, USC	77-80
Freitas, Jesse, QB, S.D. St.	74-75	Klotz, Jack, DT, Penn Military	62
Fritsch, Toni, K, None	76	Kocourek, Dave, TE, Wisconsin	60-65
Fuller, Mike, S, Auburn	75-80	Kompara, John, DT, So. Caro.	60
Garner, Bob, DB, Fresno State	60	Ladd, Ernie, DT, Grambling, La.	61-65
Garrett, Mike, RB, USC	70-73	Lane, Bob, LB, Baylor	63-64
Garrison, Gary, SE, S.D. St.	66-76	Laraba, Bob, QB-LB, Tex. West.	60-61
Gay, Blenda, DE,		Lastavic, Jim, MLB, Penn St, 78,	80-81
Fayetteville State, N.C.	74	Latzke, Paul, C, Pacific	66-68
Gerela, Roy, K, New Mexico	79	Lazetich, Pete, LB, Stanford	72-74
Gersbach, Carl, LB,		Lee, John, DT, Nebraska	76-80
West Chester State, Pa.	73-74	Lee, Mike, LB, Nevada-Las Vegas	74
Gibson, Claude, DB, N.C. St.	61-62	Lenkaitis, Bill, G, Penn State	68-70
Gillett, Fred, LB, L.A. St.	62	LeVias, Jerry, WR, SMU	71-74
Gillette, Walker, WR, Richmond	70-71	Lincoln, Keith, RB,	
Glick, Gary, DB, Colorado State	63	Washington State	61-66, 68
Gob, Art, LB, Pittsburgh	60	Little, Larry, G,	
Good, Tom, LB, Marshall, W. Va.	66	Bethune-Cookman, Fla.	67-68
Goode, Don, LB, Kansas	74-79	Loewen, Chuck, G-T,	
Gordon, Dick, WR, Michigan State	74	S. Dakota St.	80-81
Gordon, Ira, T, Kansas State	70-75	London, Mike, LB, Wisconsin	66
Graham, Kenny, DB, Wash. St.	64-69	Longley, Clint, QB, Abil. Christ.	76
Graham, Tom, LB, Oregon	75-77	Loudd, Rommie, LB, UCLA	60
Grannell, Dave, TE, Arizona St.	74	Lowe, Paul, RB, Oregon State	60-68
Grant, Wes, DE, UCLA	71	Lowe, Woodrow, LB, Alabama	76-81
Greene, Tom, QB, Holy Cross	61	Luther, Ed, QB, San Jose St.	80-81
Gregor, Bob, S, Washington State	81		
Griffin, Jim, DT, Grambling, La.	66-67	Macek, Don, G, Boston Coll.	76-81
Gross, George, DT, Auburn	63-67	Mackey, John, TE, Syracuse	72
Gruneisen, Sam, C, Villanova	62-72	MacKinnon, Jacques, TE, Colgate	61-69
		Maguire, Paul, LB-K, Citadel	60-63
Hadl, John, QB, Kansas	62-72	Marsh, Frank, DB, Oregon State	67
Hardaway, Milton, T, Okla. St.	78	Marlin, Blanche, RB, Mich. St.	60
Hardy, Kevin, DT, Notre Dame	71-72	Martin, Larry, DT, S.D. St.	66
Harrington, LaRue, RB, Norfolk St.	80	Matsos, Archie, LB, Mich. St.	66
Harris, Dick, DB, McNeese St.	60-65	Matthews, Bo, RB, Colorado	74-79

Mauck, Carl, C. So. Ill.	71-74	Salter, Bryant, S. Pittsburgh	71-73
McCall, Ron, LB, Weber State	67-68	Sartin, Dan, C. Mississippi	69
McClard, Bill, K. Arkansas	72	Sayers, Ron, RB, Neb.-Omaha	69
McCoy, Lloyd, G. San Diego State	66	Scales, Dwight, WR, Grambling	81
McCrary, Gregg, TE, Clark, Ga.	78-80	Scarber, Sam, RB, New Mexico	75-76
McDonald, Dwight, WR, S.D. St.	75-78	Scarpitto, Bob, DB, Notre Dame	61
McDougall, Gerry, RB, UCLA	62-64, 68	Schleicher, Maury, DE, Penn State	60-62
McGee, Carl, LB, Duke	80	Schmedding, Jim, G. Weber St.	68-70
McGee, Willie, CB, Alcorn A&M	73	Schmidt, Henry, DT, USC	61-64
McNeil, Charlie, DB, Compton J.C.	60-64	Sears, Jim, DB, USC	60
Mendez, Mario, WR, S.D. St.	64	Selawski, Gene, T. Purdue	61
Mercer, Mike, K. No. Arizona	70	Shaw, Pete, S. Northwestern	77-81
Mialik, Larry, TE, Wisconsin	76	Shea, Pat, G. USC	62-65
Middleton, Rick, LB, Ohio St.	76-78	Shields, Billy, T. Georgia Tech	75-81
Mikolajewski, Pete, QB, Kent St.	69	Singleton, Ron, T. Grambling	76
Milks, Jack, LB, S.D. St.	66	Slater, Mark, C. Minnesota	78
Miller, Paul, DT, Louisiana State	62	Smith, Charlie, RB, Utah State	75
Mitchell, Ed, G. Southern	65-66	Smith, Dave, RB, Utah	70
Mitchell, Lydell, RB, Penn. St.	78-79	Smith, Ron, S. Wisconsin	73
Mitjinger, Bob, LB, Penn. St.	63-66, 68	Smith, Ron, WR, San Diego St.	80-81
Mix, Ron, T. USC	60-69	Smith, Russ, RB, Miami	67-70
Montgomery, Mike, RB, Kansas St.	71	Snowden, Cal, DE, Indiana	72-73
Moore, Fred, DT, Memphis St.	64-66	Speights, Dick, WR, Wyoming	68
Morris, Mercury, RB, W. Texas St.	76	Staggs, Jeff, LB, S.D. St.	66-71, 74
Moss, Roland, TE, Toledo	70	Stein, Bob, LB, Minnesota	75
Muncie, Chuck, RB, California	80-81	Stephenson, Kay, QB, Florida	67
Myrtle, Chip, LB, Maryland	74	Stewart, Wayne, TE, California	74
		Stratton, Mike, LB, Tennessee	73
Nery, Ron, DE, Kansas State	60-62	Stringert, Hal, CB, Hawaii	75-80
Newell, Steve, WR, L.B. St.	67	Strozier, Art, TE, Kansas State	70-71
Nix, Doyle, DB, SMU	60	Sweeney, Walt, G. Syracuse	63-73
Norman, Pettis, TE, J.C. Smith	71-73	Sykes, John, RB, Morgan State	72
Norris, Trusse, WR, UCLA	60		
Norton, Don, WR, Iowa	60-66	Tanner, John, LB, Tennessee State	71
Nowak, Gary, T. Michigan State	71	Tate, Franklin, LB, N.C. Central	75
		Taylor, Jessie, RB, Cincinnati	72
Olander, Cliff, QB, N.M. St.	77-79	Taylor, Sammie, WR, Grambling	64
Owens, Artie, WR, West Va.	76-79	Tensi, Steve, QB, Florida State	65-66
Owens, Joe, DE, Alcorn A&M	70	Thaxton, James, TE, Tenn. St.	73-74
Owens, Terry, T, Jacksonville State, Ala.	66-75	Thomas, Bob, RB, Ariz. St.	73-74
		Thomas, Jesse, DB, Mich. St.	60
Park, Ernest, G. McMurry, Tex.	63-65	Thomas, Lee, DE, Jack. St.	71-72
Parks, Billy, WR, L.B. St.	71	Thomas, Mike, RB, Nev. LV	79-80
Parris, Gary, TE, Florida St.	73-74	Thompson, Aundra, WR, E. Tex. State	81
Partee, Dennis K, SMU	68-75	Thompson, Tommy, RB, So. Ill.	74
Partridge, Rick, P. Utah	80	Thrift, Cliff, LB, E.C. Okla.	79-81
Perretta, Ralph, G. Purdue	75-80	Tipton, Dave, DE, Stanford	74-75
Perry, Scott, DB, Williams, Mass.	80	Tolbert, Jim, DB, Lincoln, Mo.	66-71, 76
Peters, Volney, DT, USC	60	Trapp, Richard, WR, Florida	69
Petrich, Bob, DE, W. Tex. St.	63-66	Travenio, Herb, K. Texas College	65
Phillips, Irvin, CB, Arkansas Tech	81	Tuckett, Phil, WR, Weber State	68
Plump, Dave, WR, Fresno State	66		
Plunkett, Sherman, T. Md. St.	61-62	Unitas, John, QB, Louisville	73
Post, Dick, RB, Houston	67-70		
Preston, Ray, LB, Syracuse	76-81	Van Raaphorst, Dick, K., Ohio State	66-67
Print, Bob, LB, Dayton	67-68	Vertefeuille, Brian, G. Idaho State	74
Proitz, Jack, LB, Syracuse	70		
		Wallace, Henry, DB, Pacific	60
Queen, Jeff, RB, Morgan State	69-71	Waller, Ron, RB, Maryland	60
Ray, Eddie, RB, Louisiana State	71	Warren, Jim, DB, Illinois	64-65
Redman, Rick, LB, Washington	65-73	Washington, Joe, RB, Okla.	76-77
Reese, Don, DE, Jackson State, Miss.	81	Washington, Russ, T. Missouri	68-81
Rentz, Larry, DB, Florida	69	Webb, Jimmy, DT, Mississippi State	81
Rice, Andy, DT, Tex. So.	70-71	Wells, Robert, T. J.C. Smith	68-70
Ridge, Houston, DT, S.D. St.	66-69	Wenzel, Ralph, G. S.D. St.	72
Roberson, Bo, WR, Cornell	61	Wersching, Ray, K. California	73-76
Roberts, George, P. Virginia Tech	81	West, Jeff, P. Cincinnati	76-79
Robinson, Jerry, WR, Grambling	62-64	Westmoreland, Dick, DB, North Carolina A&T	63-65
Rodgers, Johnny, WR-RB, Neb.	77-78	White, Andre, TE, Florida A&M	68
Rogers, Don, C. So. Caro.	60-64	White, Ed, G. California	79-81
Rogers, Mel, LB, Fla. A&M	71, 74	White, Lee, RB, Weber State	72
Rossovich, Tim, LB, USC	72-73	White, Ray, LB, Syracuse	71-73
Rote, Tobin, QB, Rice	63-64	Whitehead, Bud, DB, Fla. St.	61-68
Rowe, Dave, DT, Penn State	74-75	Whitmyer, Nat, DB, Wash.	66-67
Rush, Bob, C, Memphis State	77, 79-81	Wilkerson, Doug, G. N.C. Cent.	71-81
Russell, Booker, RB, Southwest Texas State	80	Williams, Clarence, RB, South Carolina	77-81

Williams, Dave, WR, Washington . . . 72	Wood, Mike, K, SW Mo. 79-80
Williams, Jeff, T, Rhode Island . . . 81	Woodcock, John, DE, Hawaii 81
Williams, Mike, CB, LSU 75-81	Woods, Don, RB, New Mexico . . 74-80
Williams, Sam, DB, California . . . 74-75	Wright, Ernie, T, Ohio St. . . 60-67, 72
Williams, Tom, DT, Cal-Davis . . . 70-71	
Winslow, Kellen, TE, Missouri . . . 79-81	Young, Rickey, RB, Jack. St. . . . 75-77
Withrow, Cal, C, Kentucky 70	Young, Wilbur, DE, W. Penn 78-80, 81
Wojcik, Greg, DT, USC 72-73	
Womble, Royce, FI, N. Texas St. . . 60	Zeman, Bob, DB, Wis. . . . 60-61, 65-66
Wood, Dick, QB, Auburn 62	



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Paul Lowe is Chargers' all-time rusher with 4,963 yards.

Honors

All-Pro Selections

Chargers chosen to most all-American Football League teams 1960-69 or to all-National Football League teams 1970-80.

- 1960 – T Ron Mix, QB Jack Kemp, HB Paul Lowe, DT Volney Peters, DB Dick Harris. (AFL players voted)
1961 – T Ron Mix, DE Earl Faison, MLB Chuck Allen, DB Dick Harris, DB Charlie McNeil. (AFL coaches voted)
1962 – TE Dave Kocurek, T Ron Mix. (AFL coaches voted)
1963 – WR Lance Alworth, T Ron Mix, QB Tobin Rote, FB Keith Lincoln, DE Earl Faison. (AFL coaches voted)
1964 – T Ron Mix, WR Lance Alworth, FB Keith Lincoln, DE Earl Faison. (Balloting by AP & UPI)
1965 – WR Lance Alworth, RB Paul Lowe, DE Earl Faison, DT Ernie Ladd. (AP & UPI)
1966 – WR Lance Alworth, T Ron Mix. (AP & UPI)
1967 – WR Lance Alworth, T Ron Mix, G Walt Sweeney. (AP & UPI)
1968 – WR Lance Alworth, T Ron Mix, G Walt Sweeney. (AP & UPI)
1969 – WR Lance Alworth. (UPI)
1977 – DT Louie Kelcher. (NEA)
1978 – DT Louie Kelcher. (PFWA, NEA, AP)
T Russ Washington. (NEA)
1979 – WR John Jefferson. (AP, NEA, PFWA, Football Digest)
QB Dan Fouts. (PFWA, AP, UPI and Pro Football Weekly)
1980 – Fred Dean. (AP, PFW, Football Digest, College and Pro Football News Weekly)
TE Kellen Winslow. (AP, PFWA, Pro Football Weekly, Sporting News, College and Pro Football Weekly, Football Digest, NEA)
WR John Jefferson. (AP, Pro Football Weekly, PFWA, Sporting News, College and Pro Football News Weekly, Football Digest, NEA)
DT Gary Johnson. (NEA, Sporting News, Pro Football Weekly, PFWA, Football Digest, AP)
WR Charlie Joiner. (AP)
1981 – TE Kellen Winslow. (AP, NEA, PFWA, Sporting News, Pro Football Weekly, College and Pro Football Weekly)
DT Gary Johnson. (AP, PFWA, College and Pro Football Weekly)

All-AFC Selections

- 1970 – G Walt Sweeney. (AP)
1971 – G Walt Sweeney. (AP, UPI)
1973 – G Walt Sweeney. (The Sporting News)
1974 – T Russ Washington. (AP)
1977 – DT Louie Kelcher. (UPI)
1978 – DT Louie Kelcher. (UPI)
1979 – DE Fred Dean (AP), QB Dan Fouts (AP), WR John Jefferson. (AP)
DT Wilbur Young. (UPI)
1980 – DE Fred Dean. (Pro Football Weekly)
TE Kellen Winslow. (Pro Football Weekly, UPI)
DT Louie Kelcher. (Pro Football Weekly)
WR John Jefferson. (Pro Football Weekly, UPI)
DT Gary Johnson. (Pro Football Weekly, UPI)
1981 – QB Dan Fouts. (College and Pro Football Weekly)
RB Chuck Muncie. (UPI, College and Pro Football Weekly)
TE Kellen Winslow. (UPI, College and Pro Football Weekly)
G Doug Wilkerson. (UPI)
KR James Brooks. (College and Pro Football Weekly)

NFL Second-Team Selections

- 1976 – WR Charlie Joiner. (NEA)
1978 – WR John Jefferson. (UPI)
1979 – WR John Jefferson. (UPI)
1980 – WR Charlie Joiner. (AP)
QB Dan Fouts. (AP)
DT Louie Kelcher. (AP)
G Doug Wilkerson. (UPI)
K Rolf Benirschke. (AP)
1981 – DT Louie Kelcher. (AP)

AFC-NFC Pro Bowl

(Starters capitalized)

Years for AFL All-Star game and for AFC-NFC Pro Bowl denote years games played, not the seasons.

- 1971 – G WALT SWEENEY, WR Gary Garrison.
1972 – G WALT SWEENEY, WR Gary Garrison.
1973 – WR GARY GARRISON, DEACON JONES, QB John Hadle, G Walt Sweeney
1975 – T Russ Washington.
1976 – T Russ Washington.
1977 – WR Charlie Joiner.
1978 – DT Louie Kelcher, T Russ Washington.
1979 – DT LOUIE KELCHER, T RUSS WASHINGTON, WR John Jefferson.
1980 – DE FRED DEAN, QB DAN FOUTS, WR JOHN JEFFERSON, T RUSS WASHINGTON, DT Gary Johnson, WR Charlie Joiner, G Ed White.
1981 – DE FRED DEAN, TE KELLEN WINSLOW, DT LOUIE KELCHER, WR JOHN JEFFERSON, DT GARY JOHNSON, G Doug Wilkerson, QB Dan Fouts, WR Charlie Joiner, K Rolf Benirschke.
1982 – TE KELLEN WINSLOW, G DOUG WILKERSON, DT GARY JOHNSON, QB Dan Fouts, RB Chuck Muncie.

American Football League All-Star Game

(Starters capitalized)

- 1962 – DB-K George Blair, DE EARL FAISON, CB DICK HARRIS, DT BILL HUDSON, LB EMIL KARAS, QB JACK KEMP, TE DAVE KOCUREK, S CHARLIE McNEIL, T RON MIX, WR DON NORTON, T ERNIE WRIGHT
1963 – WR REG CAROLAN, DE EARL FAISON, LB EMIL KARAS, TE DAVE KOCUREK, DT ERNIE LADD, FB Keith Lincoln, LB Paul Maguire, T RON MIX, WR Don Norton, LS Bob Zeman.

- 1964—MLB Chuck Allen, WR LANCE ALWORTH, DE EARL FAISON, LB EMIL KARAS, DT ERNIE LADD, FB KEITH LINCOLN, RB Paul Lowe, T RON MIX, QB TOBIN ROTE, T Ernie Wright.
- 1965—MLB CHUCK ALLEN, WR LANCE ALWORTH, LB FRANK BUNCOM, DE EARL FAISON, QB John Hadl, TE DAVE KOCUREK, DT ERNIE LADD, FB KEITH LINCOLN, T RON MIX, G WALT SWEENEY.
- 1966—WR Lance Alworth, LB Frank Buncom, CB Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, DE EARL FAISON, TE Willie Frazier, S KENNY GRAHAM, QB JOHN HADL, DT ERNIE LADD, FB Keith Lincoln, RB PAUL LOWE, T Ron Mix, G Walt Sweeney, T Ernie Wright.
- 1967—WR LANCE ALWORTH, CB Leslie (Speedy) Duncan, TE Willie Frazier, TE Jacque MacKinnon, T RON MIX, G Walt Sweeney, K Dick Van Raaphorst.
- 1968—WR LANCE ALWORTH, LB FRANK BUNCOM, CB LESLIE (Speedy) DUNCAN, TE Willie Frazier, S KENNY GRAHAM, FB Brad Hubbert, T RON MIX, RB Dick Post, LB Rick Redman, G WALT SWEENEY.
- 1969—WR LANCE ALWORTH, WR Gary Garrison, S KENNY GRAHAM, QB JOHN HADL, TE JACQUE MacKINNON, T RON MIX, G WALT SWEENEY.
- 1970—WR LANCE ALWORTH, DE STEVE DeLONG, S KENNY GRAHAM, QB JOHN HADL, RB DICK POST, G WALT SWEENEY.

Chargers Most Valuable Player

(Union-Tribune Award)

- 1961—Earl Faison, defensive end
- 1962—Ron Mix, tackle
- 1963—Tobin Rote, quarterback
- 1964—Keith Lincoln, fullback
- 1965—Lance Alworth, flanker
- 1966—Lance Alworth, flanker
- 1967—John Hadl, quarterback
- 1968—John Hadl, quarterback
- 1969—Steve DeLong, defensive end
- 1970—Gary Garrison, wide receiver
- 1971—John Hadl, quarterback
- 1972—Cid Edwards, running back
- 1973—Russ Washington, tackle
- 1974—Don Woods, running back
- 1975—Pat Curran, tight end
- 1976—Charlie Joiner, wide receiver
- 1977—Louie Kelcher, defensive tackle
- 1978—John Jefferson, wide receiver
- 1979—Dan Fouts, quarterback
- 1980—John Jefferson, wide receiver
- 1981—Dan Fouts, quarterback

Chargers Lineman of Year

(Willie The Walrus Sea World Award)

- 1971—Walt Sweeney, guard
- 1972—Deacon Jones, defensive end
- 1973—Russ Washington, tackle
- 1974—Doug Wilkerson, guard
- 1975—Doug Wilkerson, guard
- 1976—Doug Wilkerson, guard
- 1977—Doug Wilkerson, guard
- 1978—Fred Dean, defensive end
- 1979—Wilbur Young, defensive tackle
- 1980—Gary Johnson, defensive tackle
- 1981—Doug Wilkerson, guard

Chargers Most Inspirational Player

(Emil Karas Memorial Award)

- 1975—Pat Curran, tight end
- 1976—Tom Graham, middle linebacker
- 1977—Pat Curran, tight end
- 1978—Hank Bauer, halfback
- 1979—Glen Edwards, free safety
- 1980—Charlie Joiner, wide receiver
Glen Edwards, safety
Roll Benirschke, kicker
- 1981—Charlie Joiner, wide receiver

Special Teams Player of Year

(KSDO Award)

- 1978—Pete Shaw, Artie Owens
- 1979—Pete Shaw
- 1980—Hank Bauer
- 1981—Hank Bauer

Captains

- 1961—Jack Kemp, QB; Bill Hudson, DT
- 1962—Dave Kocurek, TE; Chuck Allen, MLB
- 1963—Ron Mix, T; Emil Karas, LB
- 1964—Tobin Rote, QB; Earl Faison, DE
- 1965—John Hadl, QB; Chuck Allen, MLB
- 1966—John Hadl, QB; Chuck Allen, MLB
- 1967—John Hadl, QB; Sam Gruneisen, C; Chuck Allen, MLB; Frank Buncom, LB
- 1968—John Hadl, QB; Sam Gruneisen, C; Chuck Allen, MLB; Frank Buncom, LB
- 1969—John Hadl, QB; Ron Mix, T; Chuck Allen, LB; Rick Redman, MLB
- 1970—John Hadl, QB; Sam Gruneisen, C; Kenny Graham, S; Rick Redman, LB
- 1971—John Hadl, QB; Pettis Norman, TE; Rick Redman, LB; Pete Barnes, LB
- 1972—John Hadl, QB; Sam Gruneisen, C; Deacon Jones, DE
- 1973—John Unitas, QB; Deacon Jones, DE
- 1974—Russ Washington, T; Coy Bacon, DE; Dave Rowe, DT
- 1975—Russ Washington, T; Chris Fletcher, S
- 1976—Russ Washington, T; Chris Fletcher, S
- 1977—James Harris, QB; Louie Kelcher, DT; Ray Preston, LB
- 1978—Russ Washington, T; Louie Kelcher, DT
- 1979—Russ Washington, T; Louie Kelcher, DT
- 1980—Woodrow Lowe, LB; Doug Wilkerson, G; Ed White, G; Louie Kelcher, DT
- 1981—Woodrow Lowe, LB; Doug Wilkerson, G; Ed White, G; Louie Kelcher, DT

1982 NFL Preseason Schedule

Date	Game	Local Time
Sat. Aug. 7	Hall of Fame Game Baltimore vs. Minnesota Canton, Ohio	1:30 ABC TV

First Week

Thurs. Aug. 12	New Orleans at Houston	7:00
Fri. Aug. 13	Cincinnati at Kansas City	7:35
Fri. Aug. 13	St. Louis at Seattle	7:30
Sat. Aug. 14	Buffalo at Dallas	8:00
Sat. Aug. 14	Cleveland at Detroit	7:00
Sat. Aug. 14	Denver at Los Angeles	7:00
Sat. Aug. 14	Minnesota at Atlanta	8:00
Sat. Aug. 14	New York Jets at Green Bay	7:00
Sat. Aug. 14	New York Giants at Baltimore	8:00
Sat. Aug. 14	Oakland at San Francisco	Noon CBS TV
Sat. Aug. 14	Philadelphia at Tampa Bay	7:00
Sat. Aug. 14	Pittsburgh vs. New England at Knoxville, Tenn.	7:30
Sat. Aug. 14	Washington at Miami	8:00
Mon. Aug. 16	Chicago at San Diego	7:00

Second Week

Thurs. Aug. 19	Los Angeles at Cleveland	7:30
Fri. Aug. 20	Cincinnati vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee	7:30
Fri. Aug. 20	New England at Philadelphia	6:00
Sat. Aug. 21	Atlanta vs. Baltimore at Tempe, Ariz.	8:00
Sat. Aug. 21	Chicago at Buffalo	6:00
Sat. Aug. 21	Dallas at San Diego	6:00 CBS TV
Sat. Aug. 21	Kansas City at New Orleans	7:00
Sat. Aug. 21	Miami at Denver	7:00
Sat. Aug. 21	Oakland at Detroit	7:00
Sat. Aug. 21	Pittsburgh at New York Giants	8:00
Sat. Aug. 21	St. Louis at San Francisco	6:00
Sat. Aug. 21	Seattle at Minnesota	7:30
Sat. Aug. 21	Washington at Tampa Bay	7:00
Sun. Aug. 22	New York Jets at Houston	Noon NBC TV

Third Week

Fri. Aug. 27	Buffalo at Washington	7:30
Fri. Aug. 27	Philadelphia at Atlanta	8:30 ABC TV
Sat. Aug. 28	Baltimore at Pittsburgh	6:30
Sat. Aug. 28	Cleveland at New Orleans	7:00
Sat. Aug. 28	Detroit at Cincinnati	7:00
Sat. Aug. 28	Green Bay at Oakland	6:00
Sat. Aug. 28	Miami at Kansas City	7:35
Sat. Aug. 28	Minnesota at Denver	7:00
Sat. Aug. 28	New England at Dallas	8:00
Sat. Aug. 28	New York Jets at New York Giants	8:00
Sat. Aug. 28	St. Louis at Chicago	6:00
Sat. Aug. 28	San Francisco at San Diego	6:00 NBC TV
Sat. Aug. 28	Seattle at Los Angeles	7:00
Sat. Aug. 28	Tampa Bay at Houston	8:00

Fourth Week

Fri. Sept. 3	Atlanta at Tampa Bay	7:00
Fri. Sept. 3	New Orleans at Minnesota	7:30
Fri. Sept. 3	New York Giants at Miami	8:00 NBC TV
Fri. Sept. 3	San Francisco at Seattle	7:30
Fri. Sept. 3	Washington at Cincinnati	7:30
Sat. Sept. 4	Baltimore at Chicago	6:00
Sat. Sept. 4	Cleveland at Oakland	6:00
Sat. Sept. 4	Denver at N.Y. Jets at Meadowland, N.J.	8:00
Sat. Sept. 4	Detroit at Buffalo	6:00
Sat. Sept. 4	Green Bay at New England	1:00
Sat. Sept. 4	Houston at Dallas	8:00 CBS TV
Sat. Sept. 4	Kansas City at St. Louis	6:00
Sat. Sept. 4	Philadelphia at Pittsburgh	6:00
Sat. Sept. 4	San Diego at Los Angeles	7:00

1982 NFL Postseason Schedule

Date	Game
Sun. Jan. 2, 1983	First-round playoff for wild card teams
Sat. Jan. 8, 1983	Divisional Playoffs
Sun. Jan. 9, 1983	Divisional Playoffs
Sun. Jan. 16, 1983	AFC & NFC Championships
Sun. Jan. 30, 1983	Super Bowl XVII, Pasadena Rose Bowl
Sun. Feb. 6, 1983	AFC-NFC Pro Bowl, Aloha Stadium, Honolulu, Hawaii

The Chargers on Radio

Tom Kelly, play-by-play broadcaster of Chargers games on radio station KSDO (1130) since 1978 and a nationally acclaimed sportscaster of collegiate football and basketball for more than 20 years, will call the Chargers' action in 1981. Kelly is based in Los Angeles at radio station KNX but is a frequent contributor to sports events in San Diego. John DeMott, veteran KSDO sports director, serves as analysis for the sixth year



TOM KELLY



JOHN DeMOTT

Cities on the Chargers' network:

CALIFORNIA

Bakersfield	KPMC	1560
Barstow	KZNS	103.6 FM
Bishop	KIBS	1230
Brawley	KROP	1300
Escondido	KOWN	1450
Hemet	KHSJ	1320
Indio-Palm Springs	KCHV	970
Lompoc	KLOM	1330
	KLPC	92.7 FM
Oceanside	KUDE	1320
Pacific Grove	KOCN	104.9 FM
Thousand Oaks	KGOE	850
Twentynine Palms	KDHI	1250
Visalia	KONG	1400

ARIZONA

Phoenix	KCKY	1150
Tucson	KTUC	1400
Yuma	KVOY	1400

NEVADA

Elko	KELK	1240
Las Vegas	KORK	920
Tonopah	KPAH	92.7 FM

Preseason Television



EDDIE ALEXANDER



MIKE SMITH



PAT CURRAN

Two Chargers games will be televised on KGTV Channel 10 with Eddie Alexander calling play by play and Mike Smith serving as analyst. Alexander is sports director of Channel 10 and Smith is a sports reporter for the station. The games with Chicago Aug. 16 and Los Angeles Sept. 4 will be televised by Channel 10. Two other preseason games will be televised nationally, the Aug. 21 game against Dallas by Columbia Broadcasting System (Channel 8) and the Aug. 28 game against San Francisco by National Broadcasting Company (Channel 39).

Other Chargers Broadcasts

Ron Reina is co-host with Pat Curran on Charger Talk broadcasts on KSDO radio. Chargers Talk will begin three hours before kickoff and will resume after the Locker-room Show following each game. The Don Coryell Show, with the Chargers coach serving as co-host with Tom Kelly, will be seen each Monday night during the regular season following Monday Night Football on Channel 10.

THE NFL "MAN OF THE YEAR" CITIZEN-ATHLETE AWARD

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Only you can help make your favorite candidate the NFL "Man of the Year". Through your voting, Miller High Life will provide \$36,000 in scholarship funds—\$5,000 in the name of the NFL "Man of the Year"; \$2,000 in the names of the four runners up; and \$1,000 in the names of the remaining individual teams' vote leaders.

(see ballot on reverse)



NFL MAN OF THE YEAR BALLOT



ROLF BENIRSCHKE



WILLIE BUCHANON



ED WHITE

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CHARGERS "MAN OF THE YEAR" OFFICIAL BALLOT

(Place an "X" next to the name of the one candidate you are voting for).

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ROLF BENIRSCHKE:

Rolf's "Kicks for Critters" campaign has generated more than \$213,000 for the Endangered Species program of the San Diego Zoo. Rolf also is the honorary chairman of the Chargers/San Diego Blood Bank annual blood drive. Benirschke is national sports chairman of the National Federation of Ileitis and Colitis. Benirschke also assists the Special Olympics, American Cancer Society, and other charities in fund raisers.

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WILLIE BUCHANON:

Willie is director of the Bank of the Oceans, in the San Diego suburb of Oceanside. Willie also works for the Institute for Burn Medicine and the San Diego chapter of the YMCA. A substitute teacher in the offseason, Buchanan is director of the national Bicycle Association in San Diego. He also is an annual participant in the KPBS Auction to benefit public television.

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ED WHITE:

Ed is chairman for Casa de Amparo, a child abuse center in the North County of San Diego. He is also involved with the local chapter of the United Way, and the San Diego-Imperial Chapter of the March of Dimes. During the offseason Ed is employed by Sun Saving and Loan of San Diego. He works with the Boys Club of Coachella Valley and does sculpture for the NFL Players Association awards trophies.

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